

Weather
Variable, threatening. The maximum temperature yesterday was 57.2 and the minimum 36.9, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 57.8 and 34.5.

The Mail Box
MAILS for America and Europe, Emp. of Russia, Feb. 26; Ord. 2 p.m. Sunday, Reg. 6 p.m. Saturday.
FOR Europe and way ports, Str. Kaohgar, 8.30 a.m. tomorrow.
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LIVE SNAKE TOSSED INTO TOKIO DIET BY SUFFRAGISTS

Incident Causes Up-roar; Galleries Cleared

POLICE CALLED Intense Bitterness Marks Debate On Bill

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Feb. 23.—At 2 p.m., the universal suffrage Bill was brought up for discussion and after Mr. H. Kono made an explanation as to the reason of the Bill being introduced in the Diet, Mr. Mosuke Kawahara of the Seiyukai Party delivered a speech against the Bill and then Mr. Ichiro Kiyose of the Kokuminto spoke in favor of it.

Next, while Mr. E. Nakanishi of the Seiyukai Party was addressing the House in opposition to the Bill, some one in the gallery tossed a live snake more than 5 feet long into the midst of the Seiyukai Party with the consequence that the House was thrown into a confusion for a time. When, afterwards, Mr. Nagai began to make a speech in support of the Bill the whole House was pervaded with an unusual strained atmosphere.

In the meantime, policemen, some 5,000 in number, posted a cordon around the House, cutting off the roads leading to it and prohibiting access to the House to all but those having reasons.

The precautions on the part of the police were so rigorous that it was impossible for the masses to approach the House. Skirmishes between the police and the public took place here and there. At the Headquarters of both the Kenseikai and Kokuminto Parties, stands are made in front of their respective gates, on which the progress of the proceedings is being reported to the crowds constantly. The people are harshly abusing the arbitrary action on the part of the Government with regard to universal suffrage.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 23.—The discussion of the universal suffrage Bill in the Lower House of the Diet has been set for this afternoon.

The session has afforded an opportunity for the staging of a popular demonstration, of which the Diet buildings are the center. Crowds commenced gathering early but the police up to noon have managed to separate the converging masses and in clearing the approaches of the Diet.

Thousands of police are concealed at vantage points within half a mile. The probability of a serious disturbance is discounted by well-informed persons.

The bill is supported almost unanimously by the press but its defeat by a majority of 100 is regarded as almost certain.

This afternoon passed without any untoward incident. Outside the Diet the streets were entirely cordoned by the police, who kept the huge crowds continuously on the move. Mass meetings were held in the outlying districts, and the crowds afterwards attempted to converge upon the Diet building, but were prevented.

Inside the Diet, the Lower House was packed, where there was considerable excitement and also some abusive language used. A diversion was created in the middle of the afternoon, when an occupant of the galleries threw a live snake among the members. Both the snake and thrower were captured.

Amah Accused Of Theft Drowns Self

An Lin-se, an amah who was employed by Mrs. E. A. Schurman at 130 North Szechuen Road, threw herself into Wang Pang creek back of the house and drowned after admitting a theft of which she had been accused, according to testimony given yesterday at an inquest that followed finding of the body. The victim is a Cantonese woman and is survived by two children. The body was seen in the water from the bridge on North Szechuen Road yesterday morning and attracted a curious throng until it was removed.

Says Whisky Kept Him Young



Colonel and Mrs. James Silliman

COLONEL James R. Silliman, oldest living member of the New York National Guard and one of the founders of the Twenty-second Regiment, at ninety-two years of age, attributes his longevity to "a good drink, a good cigar and no worry."

YOUNG WIFE OF POLICE SERGEANT SHOTS HERSELF

Body of Mrs. H. E. Pelling Is Found In Her Home. By House Boy

Mrs. Nancy Winifred Pelling, 23-year-old wife of Sgt. H. E. Pelling, who is a veteran member of the Shanghai Police Department, shot and killed herself yesterday morning at her home, No. 7 Avenue Road, Sergeant Pelling who had returned from night duty at Sinza Station, to which he is attached, was not aroused by the shot, but was apprised of what had happened by his house boy.

Mrs. Pelling was alone when the tragedy occurred and all circumstances, particularly a note that she left addressed to her husband, point to suicide, but a possibility exists that her death was due to accident. It is known also that she wrote and mailed a letter shortly before her death. An inquest was opened yesterday at the home by Magistrate King, but it was adjourned until next Wednesday after the testimony of Inspector James Sinclair had been taken.

Sergeant and Mrs. Pelling were married about two years ago in England when Sergeant Pelling was on leave. In recent months they have resided at the Avenue Road address which is located near the Sinza Station compound. Sergeant Pelling returned home from work about 7 o'clock yesterday morning and retired at once. Shortly after 8 o'clock when the house boy arrived he came upon Mrs. Pelling prone on the floor of the dining room in front of a grate. It was found later that one chamber of a 32-calibre revolver that lay near her had been discharged and a wound in the head indicated that the muzzle of the weapon had been placed close to the temple when it was fired.

Mrs. Pelling was beyond aid when the house boy awakened her husband who immediately telephoned a report of the tragedy to Sinza Station. The funeral is to take place to day.

Upwards of 40,000 Chinese, it is estimated, are illegally in the United States in addition to 3,000 Chinese seamen in New York alone. The extension of the law will provide time to perfect machinery for dealing with these and other such cases.

Standard To Get Rights In Persia

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 23.—It is reported that pourparlers are proceeding in New York, which, if completed, as it seems likely, will make the Standard Oil Company and the Anglo-Persian Oil Company equal partners in the development of the prospective oil fields in North Persia.

Plans are contemplated for the formation of a company, the capital of which they will provide in equal amounts, and for a jointly represented Board. It is expected that immediately the deal is completed, a geological expedition will be despatched to Persia to survey thoroughly the fields before their development is undertaken.

Local Chinese Launch \$300,000 Campaign For Russian Famine Relief

Prominent Men Organise For Financial Drive In Aid Of Suffering Millions; C.C. Nieh Leader, With Headquarters At Chinese Y.M.C.A.

The \$300,000 financial drive in aid of the Russian famine relief work was inaugurated last night by prominent Shanghai Chinese at a meeting held at the Yih Ping Shang Hotel. Mr. C. C. Nieh, president of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, was elected director-in-chief and Dr. C. T. Wang, Chinese delegate to the Versailles Conference, and Dr. Huang Yen-pel, president of the Kiangsu Educational Association, were named as co-directors. Mr. S. K. Tsao, general secretary of the Y.M.C.A. will head the executive committee and will be assisted by Mr. Chen Wei-hsin and Mr. Tien Shih-lin.

Over two hundred prominent Chinese merchants, educationalists, journalists and social welfare workers will serve on the directorate and the secretariat to push the campaign. Eight committees, besides the executive body, will take care of special functions in connection with the work. They are: committee on general affairs, committee on finance, committee on correspondence, committee on amusements, social committee, publicity committee, subscription committee and lecture committee.

The Y.M.C.A. building will be used as headquarters for the drive.

EX-PREMIER PRESIDES

Last night's meeting was presided over by Mr. Hsiung Hsiung, former premier, who had journeyed down to Shanghai specially for the launching of the movement. The principal speakers were Mr. C. C. Nieh, Senator Wang Pao-tseng, Mr. Yeh Chu-chang of the Republican Daily News, Mr. C. F. Hsu, special commissioner of foreign affairs at Shanghai and a number of others.

The chairman, in his introductory remarks, gave reasons why China should give a helping hand to the Russians, the first being that on account of geographical proximity, China is in a better position than any other country for giving relief to the suffering millions. The second reason is that Russia under the new regime has given up all the special rights acquired from China during the late monarchy and abandoned her aggressive policy against her southern neighbor.

The twenty million dollars raised by foreign countries in aid of the famine relief in North China in 1920 was given by Mr. Hsiung as the third reason why China should help, because he said the Chinese should extend their assistance to Russia in the same spirit as others had helped her during her distress. Lastly, Mr. Hsiung said, China should give because her giving will not be mingled with ulterior motives. In a letter addressed to the Chinese Ministry of Foreign Affairs by a Moscow agent, Mr. Hsiung asserted, the writer expressed keen appreciation of the Chinese effort to raise funds for the Russian famine victims, because, he said, China was the only country which is giving without seeking some return. Many European nations are helping Russia in her misfortune, said the agent, but they all desire to secure certain privileges from the people.

WAR KINDLES PATRIOTISM

"The European War has kindled the fire of a greater patriotism in our people," said the former premier. "Our patriotism is no longer limited by nationalism. It is only through this greater patriotism that peoples of the world will be sympathetic towards one another and that the cause of war may be removed. As human beings, we must co-operate with one another to make this world of ours more fit to live in. This is our first opportunity to show the world that we are capable of such co-operation."

Mr. Wang Pao-tseng, an ex-parliamentarian, gave a vivid description of the deplorable conditions arising out of the present famine in Russia. The district effected, he said, covers an area of one thousand by three thousand li; and over 30,000,000 people are involved in the catastrophe. The sufferers at first could live on weeds, grass, bark, and leaves but recent winter storms had rendered even these unobtainable. It would take three or four months before the new crop could be harvested and the amount of food required for each individual during this period would be from forty to fifty catties.

On account of the facilities in communications, one dollar worth of foodstuff from China will be sufficient to save one life, while it would cost any other country \$5 for the same purpose. China could purchase very cheap but

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NEW PORTRAIT OF WASHINGTON BY STUART LOCATED

Painting, Long Lost, Discovered In New York

(Reuter's Service)

Hartford, Conn., Feb. 23.—Discovery of a long-lost portrait of George Washington by the American artist, Gilbert Stuart, in New York city recently directed attention to the Stuart portrait of Washington which hangs in Memorial Hall in the State Library Building here. Nearly every artist who comes to this city makes an effort to see this Gilbert canvas. It was bought by a resident of the General Assembly in May, 1800. The understanding was that it had been painted by order of a committee from South Carolina and was then declined on the ground that it was not a portrait of General Washington.

A committee from Connecticut consisting of James Hillhouse, whose acres in New Haven are now the property of Yale University, Chauncey Goodrich of New Haven and John Trumbull of Lebanon, conferred with Gilbert as to a restoration of the canvas. It was taken to the Senate chamber of the present Capitol. A few years since it was placed in the State Library.

A copy of a Washington after Stuart but not by him hung for many years in the state house at New Haven when Connecticut had two capitals and two state houses and is now in the Hartford High School.

Another Washington, also a copy, is in Wadsworth Athenaeum here close by a picture of Farragut in the Battle of Mobile Bay.

Most Beautiful Of Embassy Women At Court Of St. James



Madame Titulesco

MADAME Titulesco, the wife of the Rumanian Minister to the Court of St. James, is said to be the most beautiful of the women of the Embassies in London.

Four Shot In Battle With Chinese Gunman; One Dead, One Is Dying

Police Search Party Drawn Into Running Street Fight With Culprit Who Is Captured Wounded By Special Constable H. E. Gibson

As the outcome of a pistol battle that lasted about fifteen minutes near the Shanghai Race Course late Wednesday night Chu Tsung-yong, mafuo, residing at No. 96 Myburgh Road and employed by Mr. J. Spunt is dead, Zung Ching-ying, a Chinese woman, is dying and two other Chinese, Zung Kwei-sung and Wong Kung-tai are badly wounded.

Wong Kung-tai, said to be a Chinese gunman and responsible for the shooting, is the only victim who played an active part in the affray, as the mafuo who was killed and the others merely were unsuspecting passers-by who were struck by flying bullets.

Mr. H. E. Gibson, head constable of the Police Reserve, playing a noteworthy part in connection with the shooting which took place near his home at 12 Welhaven Road. He was about to leave his house to attend the Washington Ball when the firing began. He rushed out in evening clothes and took up the pursuit of the fleeing gunman, effecting his capture in an alleyway.

Activities of a search party composed of a Sikh officer and two Chinese constables, operating along Mohawk Road about 11 o'clock at night precipitated the shooting.

The Sikh officer had halted a ricksha in the roadway just as one of the Chinese constables approached another coming in the opposite direction. The occupant of this second ricksha seeing the police suddenly leaped to the road and began to run north. As he fled he fired two shots at the police and rounding the corner of Mandalay Road he fired a second two shots.

The members of the search party and other Chinese constables who were attracted to the scene answered the fugitive's fire with carbines and revolvers and took up the chase. It was near the corner of Chungking Road that the fleeing man was struck by a bullet in the shoulder and went down.

When he was examined by the police yesterday he said he was 27 years old and lately had come to Shanghai from Shaohing "to meet a friend" concerning whom he was unable or unwilling to give any information. Though he has been positively identified as the man who started the shooting he denied that he had a weapon in his possession. A search of the scene early yesterday led to the finding of a 25-calibre pistol with a partly filled magazine that the man in fleeing had thrown away.

The other three who were wounded were taken to the Shantung Road hospital where Chu Tsung-yong died a few minutes before midnight. The Chinese woman is wounded in the chest the bullet penetrating the abdomen causing a wound from which it was said last night she could not recover. Zung Kwei-sung, the baker, received a bullet in the right thigh.

An inquest was held yesterday before Magistrate King in connection with the man who was killed and a verdict in accordance with the circumstances as outlined was returned.

MISSION MAN CAPTURED BY BANDIT GANG IN YUNNAN

Dr. And Mrs. H. Taylor Fall Into Outlaws' Hands

WIFE IS RELEASED

Reaches Yunnanfu And Reports Husband's Plight

Word of the kidnapping by bandits near Yunnanfu of Dr. and Mrs. Howard Taylor, of the China Inland Mission, and of the subsequent release of Mrs. Taylor reached Shanghai yesterday in private dispatches from Yunnanfu and in a Reuter's message from Peking.

Dr. and Mrs. Taylor, who have been visiting various of the missions throughout China, were captured in a lonely section about 35 li from Yunnanfu, according to one of two telegrams received by the China Inland Mission offices here yesterday. The Taylors were on their way to Kaitung, North of Yunnanfu, when they were surrounded by a band of outlaws, supposedly under the lead of the chieftain Fu Hsiang-hung.

MRS. TAYLOR RELEASED

The second message received by the Mission here was mutilated in transmission, but its purport was that Mrs. Taylor had been released by the bandits and had reached Yunnanfu none the worse for the adventure. Her husband, however, the wire stated, was still being held captive. Following Mrs. Taylor's return a report was wired to the British Legation at Peking. The mission here has wired to Yunnanfu for further particulars.

Dr. Taylor is the son of the late Dr. Hudson Taylor, of the China Inland Mission. He and Mrs. Taylor have been in China on their present trip for about two years, journeying to various of the different mission stations throughout the country. They have previously been engaged in England and America in the preparation of Christian literature for the China Inland field, collaborating also on the work which tells of the activities of Dr. Hudson's father, "The Life of Hudson Taylor."

PEKING NOTIFIED

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 20.—A message has reached Peking from Yunnanfu stating that two British missionaries, Dr. and Mrs. Howard Taylor of the China Inland Mission, were captured following their release and carried off by Fu Hsiang-hung, a bandit leader operating to the North of Yunnanfu, while traveling from Kuitung on Thursday last. A later telegram reports that Mrs. Taylor was later released and had arrived in Yunnanfu.

Schurman Sees Significance In Shantung Treaty

BY JOSEF W. HALL Staff Correspondent Of The China Press

Peking, Feb. 23.—J. G. Schurman, United States Minister to China, addressing the American Association at a Washington birthday dinner, pointed out the benefit that had accrued to China as a result of the Washington Conference.

He described the Conference as the beginning of a new era in diplomacy, for which he gave credit to President Harding. The Conference, he said, marked a fulfillment of Confucian ideals, and remarked upon the significance of the fact that the liberation of Shantung, through the Conference, was synchronous with the twenty-four hundredth anniversary of the birth of Confucius, Shantung's greatest citizen.

Wedding Plans Changed By Death

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 22.—The death occurred of Lady Feodora Gleichen, the eminent sculptor, whose illness at St. James' Palace was responsible for the transference of their Majesty's first wedding-party to Buckingham Palace yesterday.

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Sun To Issue War Mandate March 12

(Kuo Wen News Agency)

Canton, Feb. 22.—President Sun Yat-sen has prepared his mandate declaring war on Peking and giving orders for the Anti-Northern campaign. He was to have handed it down yesterday, but as the result of a conversation with General Li Lieh-chun, who stated that several matters of importance should be arranged first, he has postponed the mandate until March 12.

Papal Secretary May Resign Post

(Chung Mei News Agency)

Rome, Feb. 18.—It is reported that Cardinal Gaspari will resign from his position as Papal Secretary of State.

The diplomatic corps has sent credentials to the Pope. The Spanish Ambassador has expressed the hope that the new Pope will have a long and glorious reign.

The Pope thanked him and said that he hoped that peace would come soon to the entire world.

OLDEST MEMBER OF PORTUGUESE COMMUNITY DIES

Mr. T. S. Pereira, Here Over 50 Years, Succumbs In Hospital

The oldest and one of the most respected and best known members of the local Portuguese community, Mr. T. S. Pereira, died yesterday at the General Hospital after a week's illness. There will be a solemn requiem mass at the Hongkew Church at 8 o'clock this morning and the funeral services will take place at Babbling Well Cemetery at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Pereira, who was 73 years of age, was a master printer and for the past twenty years had been manager of the printing department of Messrs. Brewer and Company, being actively engaged in his work up to a week ago. He came to Shanghai from Portugal at the age of 13 and served his printer's apprenticeship with the firm of Noronha and Company, with which concerns he remained until his Shanghai branch was closed some thirty years ago.

Together with several friends, Mr. Pereira in 1898 organized the Mercantile Printing Office, a venture which was discontinued three years later, at which time Mr. Pereira joined Brewer and Company.

Following a collapse which he suffered while at work in the office a week ago Mr. Pereira was taken to the General Hospital and was found to be suffering from pneumonia and paratyphoid. Hopes for his recovery were expressed at first but on Sunday his condition began growing worse and death came quietly at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

Mr. Pereira was unmarried but is survived by a brother, Mr. J. F. Pereira, of the Shanghai-Nanking Railway; a sister, Mrs. S. Noronha, of Canton, and several nieces and nephews. He had long been a prominent figure in the Portuguese colony here and lent active support to all of its enterprises. He was much honored for the charitable work which he has done. He was an honorary member of the Portuguese Company, S.V.C., and a member of the Portuguese Sporting Association and Lusitano Club.

Japanese Seeking Ten Year Lease On Telegraph Lines

(Daito News Agency)
Harbin, Feb. 20.—Merkuloff is negotiating with Veliukovsky and Pavlovsky, acting on behalf of Japanese capitalists, for the lease of the telegraph line between Vladivostok and Harbin for a period of ten years. The lease has already been approved by Merkuloff and orders are issued for working out the detailed conditions of the lease.

An agreement between a group of Japanese fish dealers and Merkuloff concerning the fisheries is nearing conclusion. Under the agreement the Russian fisheries in the Pacific must henceforth be monopolized by the Japanese.

POLAND SEEKING TRADE

(Rosta News Agency)
Moscow, February 16.—The Council of Ministers of Poland has decided to enter into negotiations with Soviet Russia for a commercial agreement.

Reservation To Treaty Probable

(Reuters Service)

London, Feb. 23.—It is reported from Washington that the majority of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee is in favor of Senator Brandegee's proposed reservation to the Pacific Treaty, absolving the United States from any obligation, legal or moral, relating to the insular possessions or dominions of any of the other Powers, and stating that the consent of the Senate must first be obtained to any adjustment or understanding under Articles I and II, but that no obligation is imposed to give such consent.

Neither President Harding nor Senator Lodge appear to be irreconcilably opposed to the reservation in this form. Senator Johnson tabled a reservation limiting the Signatory Powers' rights, referred to in the Treaty, to undisputed rights, and reserving to the Powers the full liberty of judgment in any dispute regarding the validity of these rights.

(China Press Service)

Washington Feb. 22.—The leaders of the Senate cleared many obstacles to the ratification of the Quadruple treaty by indicating that they would accept without a fight a blanket reservation to cover objections of those who oppose unreserved ratification.

It was virtually agreed that the reservation will provide that the United States accept no legal or moral obligations to "maintain the Pacific interests of any other power and no adjustments reached under the treaty will bind the United States without the consent of the Senate."

Some committee members understand Harding is not opposed to the reservation although he regards it as unnecessary.

Soviet Hoping For Foreign Loans

(Rosta News Agency)

Moscow, Feb. 23.—The Izvestia (Official Gazette) says that in the near future loans in money and in goods from abroad will be of great importance. A year ago it would have been difficult to suppose such a possibility; but since the international position of Soviet Russia has been considerably strengthened and since its new economic policy, the Soviet Government has succeeded in gaining the confidence of foreign capital.

It is hoped that the recognition of Russia as signified in the invitation to the Genoa Conference will also help attract foreign capital. However, the paper fears that the foreign capitalists aim at turning Russia into their colony.

British Seeking Soviet Contracts

(Rosta News Agency)

Moscow, Feb. 16.—The English ship-builders have proposed to the Government to advance them funds for the construction of a commercial fleet for Russia. It is also planned to manufacture agricultural implements in the ship-yards.

GIFT ACCEPTED

(Reuters Service)

London, Feb. 23.—The Government has gratefully accepted the Rockefeller Foundation's offer of \$2,000,000 towards the building and equipping of a School of Hygiene in London.

Murderers Must Die By Lethal Gas If Law Stands

(Reuters Service)

Carson City, Nevada, Jan. 27.—The execution of the first two men in the country to be sentenced to death by lethal gas was set today for sometime in the next week ending April 22. The condemned men Hughie Sing of Carson, and Gee Jon, of San Francisco, Chinese Tong men convicted of the murder of Wang Lee at Mina, Nevada, August 27, 1921, were brought to the state prison here today from the Mineral County Jail at Hawthorne.

A motion for a new trial was denied but an attorney announced he would appeal to the State Supreme Court on the ground that death by lethal gas was "cruel or unusual punishment" prohibited by the Nevada Constitution.

The State Prison Board has not yet provided a cell and apparatus for use in the lethal gas execution required under the new state law. The statute provides that the exact day of execution is left to the discretion of the prison warden, who is to put the prisoner in the lethal chamber for several days and turn on the gas some night while the condemned man is asleep.

South African Strike Unbroken

(Reuters Service)

Johannesburg, Feb. 22.—Six dynamite explosions occurred near some springs today, damaging the standards at the Victoria Falls Power-Station and cutting off the power at the Geduld mine.

London, Feb. 22.—The strike commandoes on the Rand are continuing their attempts to prevent the miners from working but in spite of intimidation, over 100 additional men returned to work yesterday.

Great interest was evinced in the opening debate at the Assembly in Cape Town to discuss General Hertzog's motion for compulsory arbitration of the strike. Mr. Boydell, the Labor leader, accused the Government of siding with the mineowners by using police for recruiting scales.

General Smuts said that General Hertzog's proposal was unacceptable. The only way to settle the dispute was by the appointment of an impartial board which would report to Parliament.

Johannesburg, Feb. 21.—The coal and electric power strike at Vereeniging has been broken by the return of many strikers to the Cornelia colliery and of 31 members of the operating staff to the Victoria Falls power-station. Work has also been resumed in the brick and tile industry.

The position in the goldfields has not changed except for a slight increase in the number of workers while the output is progressive. A mounted police baton charge routed a Benoni commando which had rescued the ringleader of the crowd that set fire and destroyed a miner's house.

TYAU MAY SUCCEED SZE

(Reuters Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 20.—The Chinese Minister to the United States, Mr. Alfred Sze, having been recalled to Peking, it is reported that Mr. Philip Tyau, Minister to Cuba, will be nominated Charge D'Affaires at Washington.

Chinese Here Plan Big Famine Drive

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wholesome food in Manchuria and feed the refugees at the rate of one dollar per capita till the harvest season. The Chinese Eastern Railway has offered to transport the foodstuff free of charge.

MR. NIEH SPEAKS

Mr. Nieh expressed regret that Shanghai had failed to take up the matter prior to last night, because of the business depression and the prevalence of famines in Kiangsu, Chekiang, Anhui and Hunan. But after listening to the address of Premier Hsiung and Mr. Wang, Mr. Nieh said, there was no question that the work must be done, because it should be done. Being convinced of the principles of the matter, he would exert every effort and do his best for the cause.

The Chamber of Commerce had then gave a detailed description of the admirable work that has been done by Mr. Hsiung Hsiung in connection with famine relief. Bridges, public highways, orphanage, dykes, canals and other public utilities were among the evidences that testify to the work being done by Mr. Hsiung in North China, Mr. Nieh pointed out.

Mr. Hsiung had set an excellent example in this kind of work, Mr. Nieh said, and his trip to Shanghai has inspired the Shanghai public and from now on, Mr. Nieh felt, the Shanghai public need no longer be timid of the results of the campaign, but should take a brace and help in saving the 1,500 Russians who are perishing daily.

A severe censuring of the procrastination on the part of Shanghai Chinese in aiding their neighbors was made in the speech delivered by Mr. Yeh Chu-chang.

editor of the Republican Daily News.

CHIDES DELAY

"Shanghai is late," said Mr. Yeh, "hopelessly late; but better late than never. The Russians have been suffering for a considerable time. We heard about their sufferings long ago. But we did not move. We did not have the courage. We allowed politics to blind our sense of justice. Some of us wanted to help, yet we were afraid that we might be accused of having Bolshevik inclinations."

"We consider the members of the new Four Power Entente our friends. We asked them to return us the rights that had been snatched away from us. We asked for claims that we were justly entitled to. But our friends refused. Russia, on the other hand, has returned us, since the establishment of the Far Eastern Republic, without our asking all the rights that her predecessor had robbed of us. Where is our sense of justice?"

"Therefore, I say, work hard for the campaign. Our spirit of philanthropy is well-known, but our generous acts do not benefit the sufferers. You gave generously towards the famine relief fund in North China two years ago. You are all aware of what happened to the money. Our

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STOCK EXCHANGE LIQUIDATION CASE HAS NEW ANGLE

The affairs of the Continental Stock and Produce Exchange, which came to attention several weeks ago when allegations were made that Sung Foh-san, one of the directors, was unlawfully withholding \$156,000 of the concern's funds, were again up for consideration at the Mixed Court yesterday when Mr. Pereira, president of the company and liquidator, made application for recovery of \$42,000 held under injunction in various banks.

Mr. M. B. Brown, representing a "committee of management" of the Exchange, and Mr. L. K. Kentwell, representing a number of the shareholders, opposed the motion. The petition asked that the money be deposited with the Brazilian Consulate, where the exchange is registered and opposing attorneys declared that Mr. Pereira being connected with the Consulate and not having the backing of the large majority of shareholders this should not be ordered. Mr. Brown stated that Mr. Pereira, as president of the company, had not been able to agree with a committee of the shareholders regarding the liquidation, the committee suggesting the calling of another meeting so that the entire body of shareholders might be present and decide on a liquidator. At a recent meeting, he said, called on a day's notice, only about one-tenth of the stockholders were present. His clients objected to Mr. Pereira as liquidator on several grounds, principally on the contention that he was engaged at a salary for the purpose of registering the exchange under Brazilian law and affording it Brazilian protection.

Mr. Pereira declared that his actions in the matter had been approved by the Brazilian Consul and that all proceedings have been strictly in accordance with Brazilian law. Salary received by him, he stated, was for professional services.

The matter was taken under advisement by Assessor Ferrajolo and the Magistrate pending the outcome of the criminal charge brought against Sung Foh-san, which comes up for a hearing next Monday.

People To Vote On Erin's Constitution

(Reuters Service)
London, Feb. 22.—An agreement has been reached in Dublin, adjourning the Ard Fels for three months and providing that no Dail vote shall require the resignation of the Provisional Government, and that there shall be no election in the meantime. When the election comes the new constitution under the Treaty will be submitted to the country.

The Ard Fels delegates waited two hours before the leaders appeared. Mr. de Valera received an ovation on announcing the agreement, the preamble of which states that its object is to avoid a division of the Sinn Fein organization and to give an opportunity to the Treaty signatories to draft a constitution to enable voters at the election to decide between a republic and a Free State, the Dail meanwhile continuing to function. The Ard Fels unanimously passed the agreement with boisterous enthusiasm. No speeches were made.

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Star For Every Service Man In Dome Of Big Hall

(Reuters Service)
Washington, Feb. 4.—More than five million stars, to be exact 5,016,822 of which 129,373 will be of gold and the others blue, will stud the dome of the gigantic assembly hall in the National Victory Memorial building, in progress of erection here and which is expected to be completed in time for the inaugural ceremonies in 1925.

This dome will really be an American Service flag, bespangled with stars in geographical groups: a gold star for everyone who died in the country's service during the recent war, and a blue one for each other member of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps who served.

That each star may be identified by initials or a name in full, and guided by a grouping diagram, future visitors will be able with the aid of a telescope on the floor below to locate a particular star, are details of the plans of Mrs. Henry F. Dimock, President of the George Washington Memorial Association and the guiding spirit whose indefatigable efforts have consummated this gigantic undertaking.

The following lists compiled from the latest official records of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps, show the following totals, before reached in estimated statistical compilations of the World War:

Total men and women who served in Army, Navy and Marine Corps, 5,013,952.
Total deaths from all causes in World War in above services, 129,373.

Spring Sacrifice To Confucius Today

Spring Sacrifice will be offered to the memory of Confucius today. Mr. Kiao Ling-wel, the Minister of the Interior, will officiate at the government sacrifice to be held at the Temple of Confucius in Peking.

Empress Boat Sails For U. S. Sunday

The Canadian Pacific Steamships' liner Empress of Russia left Hongkong at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon and is due to arrive off Woosung late tomorrow night. The tender with incoming passengers is expected to reach the Customs jetty about 9.30 o'clock Sunday morning.

The liner will sail for Vancouver by way of Japan ports Sunday evening and is due to arrive there on March 15. The outbound tender with passengers and hand baggage only will leave the jetty at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, and heavy baggage should be delivered to the company's godown before noon tomorrow. Ordinary mails for America and Europe will close at the U. S. Post Office at 2 p.m. Sunday and registered at 6 p.m. tomorrow and are due to arrive in Seattle on March 14.

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MINUTES OF RECENT PROCEEDINGS
HEARINGS
(Before the Commissioner)
February 18, 1922, Cause No. 1621, Steele v. Kosel; adjourned one week.
February 18, 1922, Cause No. 1626, U. S. v. Shanghai Journal of Commerce; preliminary hearing waived; bail \$500.00 pending trial.
February 18, 1922, Cause No. 1628, U. S. v. Cameron; plea of guilty.
February 18, 1922, Cause No. 1629, U. S. v. Donack; preliminary examination.
February 18, 1922, Cause No. 1630, U. S. v. Cooper; bail forfeited; no appearance on part of defendant.
JUDGMENTS AND ORDERS
(By the Commissioner)
February 18, 1922, Cause No. 1628, U. S. v. Cameron; dismissed with caution.
February 18, 1922, Cause No. 1629, U. S. v. Donack; held for trial in U. S. Court.
MISCELLANEOUS FILINGS
February 15, 1922, Cause No. 1621, Steele v. Kosel and Kosel; answer.
February 15, 1922, Cause No. 1626, U. S. v. Shanghai Journal of Commerce; information; praecipe.
February 16, 1922, Cause No. 1623, Fletcher v. Greenstone; marshal's return of summons to answer.
February 16, 1922, Cause No. 1625, K. F. Ling v. Frank F. Bowe and Asia Banking Corp.; summons to answer issued.
February 16, 1922, Cause No. 1627, Haskins and Sells v. Frank F. Bowe and Co.; petition; summons to answer issued.
February 16, 1922, Cause No. 1629, U. S. v. Donack; complaint.
February 17, 1922, Cause No. 1628, U. S. v. Cameron; complaint.
February 17, 1922, Cause No. 1379, Chinese-American Bank of Commerce v. Reid's Ltd., Inc.; marshal's return of writ of attachment.
February 17, 1922, Cause No. 1625, K. F. Ling v. Frank F. Bowe and Asia Banking Corp.; marshal's return of summons to answer.
February 17, 1922, Cause No. 1627, Haskins and Sells v. Frank F. Bowe and Frank F. Bowe & Co.; marshal's return of summons to answer.
February 18, 1922, Cause No. 1621, Steele v. Kosel and Kosel; answer to counterclaim.
February 18, 1922, Cause No. 1605, U. S. v. Curtis; order.

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No Fountain There, But Plenty Of Gold, As Indians Said

(Reuter's Service)
Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 29.—Federal prohibition officials here interested in Bimini, the small British island forty miles east of Miami which since the outlawing of John Barleycorn by the United States has become a Mecca for those whose thirst was not quenched by the eighteenth amendment and which also is said to be the source of much of the liquor smuggled into this country, have ascertained that Bimini was supposed to have been the site of the "fountain of youth" of which Ponce de Leon was in search when he discovered Florida.

Bimini is not a recently established institution; it has developed, for more than four hundred years ago it figures in the news reports of the day by that name. Ponce de Leon heard of it while in Porto Rico in 1512, having been told by the Indians there "of an island called Bimini, where there was much gold and a treasure even more precious than gold—a fountain whose waters would make young forever all mortals who should drink of it," as one chronicler puts it.

Ponce de Leon fitted out three small vessels at his own expense to go in search of the fountain. He left to the present generation the discovery of the gold and potent waters, however, for after cruising about the Bahamas during the winter of 1513 without sighting the island he heard there was land in the northwest, steered in that direction and on Easter Sunday, March 27, landed on the beach a few miles north of where St. Augustine now stands.

Prohibition officials credit the Indians of Porto Rico with having known what they were talking about when they told Ponce de Leon what he would find at Bimini. "Bimini is running over with gold these days," said one official, "and it is certain from the experience we have had with liquor runners the last year or two that the marvellous waters of the fountain still flow freely."

Astronomers To Test Relativity

(Reuter's Service)
Berkeley, Feb. 2.—Astronomers here are to test the theory of relativity to be undertaken by an expedition which the University of California here is to send to Australia during the total eclipse of the sun September 21, 1922.

Several astronomers from Lick Observatory, which is conducted by the University of California, will make the trip. Dr. W. W. Campbell, director of the observatory, will head the party.

Professor R. J. Trumpler, assistant astronomer at the observatory, will leave here March 31 for Australia. Dr. Campbell and the other members of the expedition will sail July 18. This, it is believed, will be the only American expedition sent to observe the eclipse.

The path of the eclipse will extend from Abyssinia over the Maldives Peninsula, Christmas Islands and over Northwestern Australia, along "Ninety Mile Beach." The California expedition will be located on the beach.

A British expedition, representing the Royal Society, the Royal Astronomical Society, will leave early next month for the Christmas Islands to observe the eclipse.

As the weather on "Ninety Mile Beach" is expected to be clear in September, highly important scientific results are expected, Dr. Campbell said recently.

Two Foreign Ladies Victims Of Thieves

Two cases of bag snatching were reported to the police Wednesday night. Miss Boyes, of 10 Quinsan Gardens, reported that while she was walking on North Szechuen Road, near North Szechuen Road, a Chinese darted out of an alley and snatched her bag containing articles valued at \$50. Miss M. Laurento, 10 Mulrhead Road, also reported that a Chinese had snatched a notebook containing \$50 in bills she was carrying while walking on Seward Road.

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I'LL BET I DO KNOW!

I'LL BET YOU A MILLION DOLLARS, ARE YOU ON?

NO, A NICKEL IS STEEP ENOUGH FOR ME! HERE'S WHERE I WIN A TOOTHPICK! SHOOT!

WELL, IF YOU HAD ONLY FIVE BUTTONS ON YOUR TROUSERS, AND THREE CAME OFF, ALL THE RESPONSIBILITY WOULD HANG ON THE OTHER BUTTONS!



VESSELS MOVING BUT STRIKE IS NO NEARER END

Messages From Hongkong Tell Of No New Developments In Situation There

Reports received yesterday by Shanghai shipping agencies from Hongkong told of no new developments in the strike of seamen and carried no indication that the controversy is any nearer adjustment. In general the trans-Pacific liners have overcome strike delays and are moving in and out of Hongkong on schedules and a number of coastal vessels also are resuming service.

The Silver State left here yesterday southbound with a crew of 125 Filipino seamen whom the Keystone State brought from Manila. The Silver State also carried to Hongkong its Chinese crew which is expected to desert the vessel there.

More and more China Navigation vessels are beginning to get away from Hongkong. Two, the Ichang and Hunan, arrived here Wednesday, and the Hangchow came in yesterday. Ningpo seamen are manning all of the vessels.

The Empress of Russia left Hongkong yesterday with a Ninpo crew and is due here Saturday. The China Mail Steamship Nan king is still at Hongkong.

(Kuo Wen News Agency)
Canton, Feb. 22.—The Associated Chambers of Commerce of Kuangtung has sent four delegates to Hongkong to guarantee that the seamen will return to work. The men will return to work forthwith if the plans of these gentlemen prove successful, and the shipowners will sign undertakings for the increasing of salaries. At the same time the Hongkong Governor will issue a proclamation re-opening the Seamen's Guild.

RUSSIAN CENSUS

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, Feb. 20.—With a view to ascertaining the number of Russian and Korean subjects resident in Peking, and inspecting their credentials, the Metropolitan police have been instructed to take a census.

S. AFRICA'S DEFICIT

(Reuter's Service)
Capetown, Feb. 21.—At the Assembly today, Mr. Burton, the Minister of Finance, anticipated that the deficit on March 31 would be £1,900,000. Mr. Jagger, the Minister of Railways, estimated that owing to the strike there would be a railway deficit of £3,850,000.

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News Brevities

The British warship Cairo will proceed to Hongkong on Sunday.

The Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce has instructed the merchants throughout China to send native products to the Peace exhibition in Japan next month as a mark of friendship between Japan and China.

The British warship Bee, flying the flag of Rear-Admiral MacLachlan, is expected to arrive in Shanghai today.

Thirty-nine traffic cases were heard by the special traffic court yesterday afternoon.

A shroff for White, McClave & Company, 1 Canton Road, arrested by Detective Sergeant Beer, was charged with the embezzlement of Tls. 750 before American Assessor Tenney and Magistrate Yul in the Mixed Court yesterday and the case remained until Tuesday.

The Canton Municipality is buying a steam roller from Germany for \$10,933. The British bid was \$12,693 Hongkong dollars, and the American bid \$7,500 gold.

Mr. David Fraser, correspondent of the London Times at Peking, accompanied by Mrs. Fraser is at the Astor House. They are en route to England.

A new shipping company, the Spain & China S. N. Co., backed by Chinese and foreign capital, has been formed. Messrs. Menacini & Co. are Shanghai agents for the company. One vessel, the New China, has been purchased and is now on a trip to South America. The vessel is registered by the Chinese government. Plans include the purchase of three or four new vessels. A regular monthly service will be maintained and a service to Spain inaugurated later on.

Provision will be made in the current Budget for the erection of a new Assembly Hall at the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese in Shanghai at an estimated cost of Tls. 15,000. The Council has expressed appreciation of Sir Ellis Kadoorie's offer to bear half the cost of the improvement, in a letter conveyed to Sir Ellis by Mr.

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By Bud Fisher

Chang Tso-lin Asks Tuan's Appointment To The Premiership

The appointment of former Premier Tuan Chi-jui as successor to Liang Shih-yi was asked in a telegram addressed by Tsuchun Chang Tso-lin of Fengtien to President Hsu, according to the Shun Pao. Chang stated that he would be the first one to endorse the appointment of Tuan, if the present premier is opposed by Wu Pei-fu on the ground that he was formerly a monarchist.

Dr. C. C. Wu, vice-minister of foreign affairs at Canton, is reported to be on his way to Mukden. Chang Tso-lin has been invited by President Hsu to come up to Peking once more. In his letter to General Chang, the chief executive described the difficulties of the administration and expressed the hope that the Fengtien chief would give him valuable advice in person. Hsu has also asked General Wu Pei-fu to send one of his trusted agents to the capital.

Sue Bank Manager For Tls. 180,000

A claim for Tls. 180,000 has been filed in the Mixed Court by the Fong Dah Bank against its former manager, Koo Kuei-ming, who is accused of having withheld that amount of the institution's funds when he relinquished his office.

Koo gave up the managership on February 10, the bank alleged in its petition, withholding Tls. 101,772.20 and Tls. 8,997.37 of the bank's assets. He is further accused of holding three native money orders for a total of Tls. 50,000 and a passbook for Tls. 20,000 which are claimed to have been illegally issued. Messrs. Musso and Fischer appear for the plaintiffs.

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China Press Sports



Basketball Pennant For Season May Be Decided On Rowing Club Floor Tonight

Bearcats And Strokeside To Play Deciding Match Of Schedule

The season's pennant for basketball among Foreign League teams may be decided tonight at the Rowing Club, when the undefeated Bearcats meet the Strokeside. Should the Bearcats win they will finish the season's 18 game schedule without defeat, for their only remaining game will be credited to them on forfeit by Anderson Meyer. Should they lose, however, the league's first honors may be divided when the schedule is concluded, with the Bearcats and Rowing Club five each credited with 17 wins and one defeat.

The Bearcats and the Strokeside played one match, on December 19, when the former won out after close and hard play 23-20. It was the first and only time that the Strokeside was defeated. Tonight however, Irie's team will find a different team opposing them, and his own handicapped by the absence of his best forward, Dr. Gray, a veteran of the game who has done more than his share in building up the enviable record of the league leaders.

The Strokeside men since that first game have improved in their play at least 100 percent. Rated always as second only to the Bearcats, they are considered now by many close followers of the game as competent to play any team in China to a winning score. They have developed individuals and team work until they appear to have more than an even chance with the team that gave them their only beating more than two months ago.

The game, scheduled for tonight between the American Trading Company and Anderson Meyer will be forfeited to the former. Monday three games are listed all at the Rowing Club. The Public School oppose the Bowside at 7:30; the Bearcats scheduled to meet the Anderson Meyer at 8:30 will take a walk-over on forfeit, and at 8:30 the

Standings In The Basketball League

	W.	L.	P.C.
Bearcats	16	0	1.000
Strokeside	15	1	.933
Am'n Trading	9	6	.600
Am'n School	10	7	.588
Public School	9	8	.529
Shai College	9	9	.500
Bowside	7	9	.437
Fear Dan'l	5	11	.312
Anderson Meyer	1	15	.062
Y.M.C.A.	1	16	.059

Strokeside and the American School play their last game of the season. The season closed Tuesday with one match at the "Y" between the Y.M.C.A. and the Amtraco five.

There are two matches postponed since the early season when the Standard Oil five gave their place over to Fearon Daniel. The first between the American Trading Company and Fearon Daniel perhaps will not be played for a win or defeat either way could not make any change in standings. The second, however, between Bowside and the Fearon Daniel may be played in the event that the Bowside beats the Public School on Monday, for the first win in the postponed game would give the Fearon Daniel five a three-cornered tie for fifth position with the Public School and Shanghai College.

Fearon Daniels Beats "Y" 34-29

The "Y" basketball team gave Fearon Daniels a good game at the "Y" gym last night to a score of 34-29. The school boys composing the losing team all were playing good basketball but a trifle off the best game they are capable of. Sheldon was top scorer with 7 baskets for the Hong team. Shipley and Squires for the "Y" were next best with

INDOOR SPORTS

By Tad



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HUNT CLUB RACE ENTRIES

Members of the Shanghai Paper Hunt Club are reminded that entries for the forthcoming annual race meeting, to be held on Saturday, March 4, will close at the Grand Stand at 6 p.m. today.

American Oarsmen Meet At Noon Today To Plan For New Rowing Season

Coach And Captains For 1922 To Be Selected; Early Training Planned

American oarsmen composing the American division of the Shanghai Rowing Club will meet in private session at the Rowing Club today at noon to discuss the year's team, and to elect Captain, Vice-Captain and Coach for the new year.

The meeting will mark the opening of the rowing season for Americans, for it has already been announced unofficially that as soon as weather permits after the division meeting, the oarsmen will be called out for their first touches of training for the Spring Regatta at Henli. The American oarsmen in 1921 took a foremost place in Shanghai Rowing, especially at the fall regatta and their strong showing was attributed more than anything else to their having for the first time gone in for a serious period of training. Their wins in the pairs and fours and

improved showing in the international eight, not to mention various other successes in lesser events were due to better training condition, and it intended this year that the American crews and individuals shall start in every event trained to the minute, and fit for fast and hard pulls against all other nationals of Shanghai. While no intimation has been given out as to the names that may be proposed for the guiding of the American crews in 1922, it (Continued on Page 6)



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R. C. MORTON SAYS U. S. WILL STAY IN SHIPPING BUSINESS

New Far Eastern Manager Of
Board Will Be Located
In Manila

Mr. R. C. Morton, newly appointed General Manager of the United States Shipping Board in the Far East, who is now en route to Manila where he will establish headquarters, asserts that the United States is in the shipping business to stay despite present day conditions. Mr. Morton was among the passengers who sailed from Seattle on the Admiral Line steamer Silver State.

He has long been prominent in shipping circles in the Far East, having filled various positions with the Pacific Mail. Until recently he was General Agent of the Pacific Mail at Manila and it was while on a vacation in the United States that he was offered and accepted the new post to which he is going. He is expected in Shanghai by the steamer Empire State having broken his journey at Yokohama.

"The Shipping Board will not quit the shipping business now," Mr. Morton said, "on the other hand it contemplates backing American ships everywhere in competition with foreign concerns, despite any losses which may attend the conduct of the business at this time of world depression."

"It is the earnest desire of the United States Shipping Board to pursue a 'live and let live' policy. It wishes to work in harmony with foreign companies in maintaining freight rates that will return a reasonable profit. Rate cutting as a practice is frowned on by the Shipping Board, but if foreign companies force the issue by initiating rate cutting the United States Shipping Board will not be backward in meeting any competition forced on them by foreign companies and will meet any rates quoted by competitors regardless of loss. The Shipping Board is earnestly in favor of equitable rates but will not sit idly by in the face of unfair discrimination."

Mr. Morton brought word that some sort of aid likely will be voted to American shipping by Congress, but what form this aid will take has not been decided. President Harding, he says, is firmly in favor of the American merchant marine and indorses the support which Congress is manifesting toward the American shipping business.

WRITE FOR BOTTOMLEY

(Reader's Service)
London, Feb. 22.—Mr. Horatio Bottomley, M. P., has been summoned to appear at Bow Street on March 8 on a charge of alleged conversion to his own use of £5,000, the property of the Victory Bond Club, in September, 1919.



Oarsmen Meet To Plan Season

(Continued from Page 15)
is quite safe to say that those who held the reins last year, Bill Sauer as coach, Schlobohm as captain and Edwards as vice-captain, will be selected to serve the Americans again. The trio are credited as being the "men behind" American rowing here, the men who built it up last year, and who can achieve still greater results in 1922.

Sauer, especially, is considered as the leading spirit among American oarsmen. His coaching last year, and his unlimited enthusiasm were two of the largest factors in the crews' creditable performances. Sauer at present is ill, but he is due to be out again soon, and it is fully expected that when the oarsmen receive their first call for training, they will be instructed to report to him.

Schlobohm and Edwards also are men who have earned the right to re-election, should they care to stand again. Active oarsmen, both of the very best ability, their enthusiasm and experience as captain and vice give them qualifications which would be difficult to replace even from among the best of other American oarsmen.

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46043 F 25

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46160 F 25

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46211 M 2

AMERICAN lady, bookkeeper, knowledge of typing, coding and filing, seeks position. Apply to Box 454, THE CHINA PRESS.

46185 F 26

BRITISHER, experienced in local shipping and Customs work, requires position, shipping department or firm preferred. Apply to Box 467, THE CHINA PRESS.

46213 F 25

ACCOUNTANT wishes to take charge of set of books, thoroughly competent. Many years experience with British and American firms. Excellent credentials. Immediate engagement. Apply to Box 441, THE CHINA PRESS.

46170 F 25

AMERICAN married, 3 years experience in China, knowledge of exports, imports (piece goods, metals, sundries etc.) Long experience in salesmanship, office organization, statistics, advertising and business legalities, thoroughly capable of taking control of a business, branch office or department and possessing the requisite initiative, industry and perseverance to build, develop or extend a business, good reasons for change of position can be given. No objection to outposts. For interview please apply to Box 434, THE CHINA PRESS.

46155

SMART young Chinese with five years' experience in general office desires to change position in reliable firm, as office clerk, typist or general assistant. Salary secondary consideration. Address to Box 429, THE CHINA PRESS.

46153 F 35

BRITISHER, bachelor, electrician, specialist in wiring, motors, elevators. Good knowledge high tension work, speaking, transmitters etc. Speaks local dialect and if required can supply and control labour. Reasonable salary. Apply to Box 417, THE CHINA PRESS.

46135 M 1

EXPERIENCED young lady stenographer desires position. Tel. 15000. Apply to Box 423, THE CHINA PRESS.

46143 F 24

HOG CASINGS. A Chinese, with many years experience of casing business and good connection with the interior casing dealers. Owner of 3 casing factories. For service please apply to Box 416, THE CHINA PRESS.

46131 F 24

A young Chinese typist with little experience seeks position in local firm. Apply to Box 396, THE CHINA PRESS.

46096 F 25

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OFFICE to let, 2 rooms, suitable for office at 112 Szechuen Road, 1st floor. Apply to The Great China Cotton Mfg. Co., Ltd. 53 Kiangsu Road.

46167 M 1

TO LET 2 large airy office rooms. Central district. Apply to Box 446, THE CHINA PRESS.

46177 F 26

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46125 F 24

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46202 F 26

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46194 F 24

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46189 F 25

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46165

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46151 M 1

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46172 F 28

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46141 F 24

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46150

TO LET from March 15th attractive two room apartment, near the Bund, very well furnished. Large living room, small bedroom with twin beds, fine bathroom with geyser, kitchen with gas range. Rental Tls. 100.00 includes lights, water and taxes. References required. Address to Box 458, THE CHINA PRESS.

46193 F 26

TO LET in town, three roomed flat, furnished, also one beneath it unfurnished and an office flat on ground floor. Apply to Box 472, THE CHINA PRESS.

46217 F 24

FLAT to let entire floor, furnished four rooms, kitchen and bathroom with geyser, 12 Darroch Road, only American or British need apply.

46127 F 25

TO LET 2 rooms with full board suitable for bachelors or married couples, or can be let as a flat, 2 rooms, kitchen and bath with geyser. Apply to Box 414, THE CHINA PRESS.

46126 F 24

TO LET, nice furnished room with board. Western district. Suitable for married couple or bachelors. Apply to Box 449, THE CHINA PRESS.

46179 F 24

WANTED by German gentleman, flat of two or three rooms, furnished or unfurnished, bathroom, kitchen and boy's room. Apply to Box 431, THE CHINA PRESS.

46155 F 24

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46182 F 26

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46192 M 15

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46036 F 24

ROOMS WANTED

GENTLEMAN requires three or four rooms with kitchen and bath, on or near the Bund. Apply to Box 443, THE CHINA PRESS.

46173 M 1

GERMAN gentleman seeks board and lodging in an American family of good standing. Boarding houses need not apply. Address Box 445, THE CHINA PRESS.

46176 F 25

WANTED board and room with private family in French Concession, for two American business women. Reply to Box 436, THE CHINA PRESS.

46150 F 25

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46074 M. 6

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46199 F 28

TO LET unfurnished nice cool 5 roomed house on Avenue Joffre. Rent Tls. 125. Garage, (semi detached). Apply to Box 471, THE CHINA PRESS.

46217 F 24

TO LET Semi detached house, Western district, six rooms, two bathrooms, garage and small garden, servants quarters etc. 18 months lease with option of renewal. Furnished or unfurnished. Newly decorated. Exceptional opportunity. Apply to Box 470, THE CHINA PRESS.

46154 F 25

TO LET from April 1st for seven months, Avenue Joffre near the French Club, large comfortably furnished house comprising hall, two drawing rooms, dining room, three large bedrooms, bathroom, modern conveniences. Large garden with tennis court, garage, stable, servants' quarters, etc. Tls. 200.00 per month. Address to Box 405, THE CHINA PRESS.

46110 F 25

NEW RESIDENCES TO LET in Western District. Completed May. Tennis Court or Garden, garage and with all modern conveniences. Terms Moderate. For further particulars, please apply to the SHANGHAI TRUST COMPANY, No. 2 Hongkong Road.

45840 M 12

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46166 F 25

BY young American couple for immediate occupation. Furnished or unfurnished apartment of two or three rooms with bath and kitchen. Central location or close in. Please reply to Box 435, THE CHINA PRESS.

46158 F 24

WANTED by German gentleman, flat of two or three rooms, furnished or unfurnished, bathroom, kitchen and boy's room. Apply to Box 431, THE CHINA PRESS.

46155 F 24

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TYPIST required for compiling and typing out a private code (about 200 pages). Needs to be a skilful typist, thoroughly acquainted with code work. Work will require about one month's time. Reply to Box 453, THE CHINA PRESS.

46185 F 26

WANTED: To get in touch with govt. spending summer at Weishaiwei, Chefoo, Paitaiho or Kuling who would care for well-mannered, happy five-year old girl with excellent amah, or would share expenses with family for similar supervision. Apply to Box 422, THE CHINA PRESS.

46142 F 24

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46066 F 25

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46149 F 25

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46155 F 25

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46214 F 24

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46150 F 25

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46190 M 2

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46206 F 26

TO LET, Western district, 2 large furnished attics, bathroom and kitchen. Low rent. Apply to Box 460, THE CHINA PRESS.

46197 F 25

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46198 F 26

\$65.00. Board and residence for gentleman willing to share flat with another. Wayside, 3 minutes from tram. Palace Hotel 10 to 15 minutes. Apply to Box 469, THE CHINA PRESS.

46215 F 26

BED sitting-room, modern private bath and large clothes closet, for two. Near Race Course, Western district. Best of table board. Phone W. 2245.

46165 F 26

CENTRAL district. To let with full board, from March 1st. One well furnished double room, bathroom attached. Suitable for two friends or married couple. Apply Mrs. Benn, 9 Hankow Road, (phone C. 2321).

46079

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No. 2947.

PUBLIC GARAGES

Notice is hereby given that the following amended licence conditions will be enforced from this date.
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2. That no person be permitted to sleep on any part of the premises unless the same is separated from the remainder of the premises by approved fire walls and fire doors or fire division walls, and is provided with separate means of egress.
By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary and Commissioner General.
Council Room,
Shanghai, February 24, 1922.
46228

ANNOUNCEMENT

Arthur S. Allan and Leonard W. Hartigan have become associated in the practice of law under the firm name of Allan and Hartigan, at No. 6 Jinkee Road.
46210

Saint Patrick's Society OF SHANGHAI.

The annual general meeting of members will be held in the Palace Hotel, at 5.30 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, March 2, 1922. All Irishmen are cordially invited to be present.
T. P. GIVENS,
Act. Hon. Sec.
Shanghai, February 23, 1922.
46208

St. Joseph's Catholic Association

Members are reminded of the
TEA-CONCERT
which will take place on
Saturday, 25th February
at 4.30 p.m.

NOTICE

Dr. Med. Alex. Renner
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46148

Notice of Removal

The Shanghai Office of
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New York, U. S. A.
will be located after March 1st, at
21 Museum Road.
46205

NOTICE

The winning ticket of the raffle for the Scripps-Booth Motor Car drawn on February 22nd, was No. 63.
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S. S. "Hannawn" from Portland

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES
An examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the O. S. K. Yangtzepoo Wharf, on Monday, 27th February, 1922, at 2.30 p.m., when the Marine Surveyors, Messrs. Elsler and Reeves, will be in attendance.
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Shanghai Race Club

SPRING TRAINING SEASON, 1922.
THE TRAINING SEASON FOR THE SPRING RACE MEETING (1st, 2nd, 3rd and 6th May) WILL COMMENCE ON WEDNESDAY, 1st MARCH, 1922, WHEN THE TRAINING (INNER) COURSE WILL BE RESERVED FOR MEMBERS ONLY.
THE LOONG-FEI (EAST ENTRANCE) TO THE PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND WILL BE CLOSED AND THE RACE CLUB'S ENTRANCE WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PEDESTRIANS ONLY DURING TRAINING HOURS.
By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.
46148

UNIVERSITY OF HONGKONG MATRICULATION AND SENIOR LOCAL EXAMINATIONS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that these Examinations will commence on Monday, June 12th, 1922.
Forms of Entry and all particulars can be obtained on application to the "Registrar, The University, Hongkong" or from the undersigned.
Each Entry Form, duly filled in, must reach the undersigned together with the fee (Fifteen Dollars, Hongkong Currency) on or before March 15th, 1922.
The Examinations will be conducted according to the "Regulations for the Senior and Junior Local Examinations and for the Matriculation Examination 1922."
No Scholarships will be awarded at this Examination.
The Junior Local Examination will be held in December 1922.
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Houseboat For Sale

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ANNOUNCEMENT

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NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ANDREW O'BEN
歐彬 otherwise known as OU LING SUNG (歐靈生), deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having any claims upon the Estate of Andrew O'Ben 歐彬, otherwise known as Ou Ling Sung (歐靈生), formerly Managing-Director of the Sincere Company Ltd., of Shanghai, China, deceased, who died on the fifth day of December, 1921, at Shanghai aforesaid and Letters of Administration of whose estate were granted by the International Mixed Court at Shanghai aforesaid on the twenty-third day of December, 1921, to me the undersigned, WEI JAN OU TAN SZE, are required to send in writing particulars of their claims to me at the address stated below c/o Mr. S. K. Lou, The Sincere Co., Ltd., on or before the 28th day of February, 1922, after which date the assets of the said deceased within the jurisdiction of the International Mixed Court aforesaid will be paid over to the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice, and I will not be responsible for the assets so paid over or any part thereof to any persons of whose claims I shall not then have had notice.
AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to make immediate payment to me.

SHANGHAI, the 19th day of February, 1922.
WEI JAN OU TAN SZE,
Executrix.
Residence Address:
The New Kiangwan Road,
Shanghai.
46118

Shanghai Paper Hunt Club

NOTICE
ANNUAL RACE MEETING.
Saturday, 4th March, 1922.
Entries for the above Race Meeting, to be held on the Shanghai Race Course, will close at the Grand Stand, at 6 p.m., on Saturday, 25th inst.
Members who desire Entry-forms may obtain same on application to the undersigned.
By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary.
SHANGHAI PAPER HUNT CLUB.
46128

Hankow and Ports

The Hoong On S. S. Co's Steamer Tsekiang, Captain Lee, will leave from the Ningshao Wharf, Chinese Bund Nantao, on Friday, the 24th February, at about 12 o'clock (midnight). (Cabins fitted with steam heater.) Passage Money, Shanghai to Hankow, \$40 single and \$60 return. For Freight or Passage apply to office of the Company No. 1B Hankow Road, Telephone 1520 and Passage 3283.
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NOTICE

Prof. I. K. Seto and Madam Fumi Seto, expert Japanese massagers, beg to announce that they have removed to Wochang Road, Shikong Lee, F57. Give treatment at the above address or your residence. Telephone N. 3253.

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NOTICE

It is proposed to establish an up-to-date
Registration Bureau and Messenger Service
in Shanghai, and to that end the undersigned will open an office on March 1st where all servants may register and seek employment, also all household servants now employed may be registered. It is the aim of the service to supply the public with the best servants and messengers procurable and therefore a new department is being established under the name of The Oriental Servant and Messenger Service.

Oriental Secret Service

Suite 19 15 Nanking Road. Telephone C. 6565.
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NOTICE

The vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. C. A. J. Wilkie has been filled by Mr. K. Mansfield.
Our clients will enable us to attend to their requirements with promptitude if they will refer direct
TO:—Mr. G. N. Marshall, Manager
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Reserve Funds: Guilders 18,779,250 (about £1,581,604)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,883,333)
Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches
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London Bankers
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Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.
M. J. HERSCHEL, Acting Manager.

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No. 10 Klukiang Road.
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Head Office: TIENTSIN
Subscribed Capital \$2,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital \$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund \$124,000.00
Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

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Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in tael, dollars and other currencies according to arrangement.
Credits granted on approved securities.
Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

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Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST Yesterday's Close

Stock	Closing
Banks	Quotations
H. K. and S. B.	\$705 B.
Chartered	\$144
Russo-Asiatic	R. 250
Marine Insurance	H. 9480 B.
Canton	Tls. 144
North China	H. 240 B.
Union of Canton	\$24 B.
Yangtze	Tls. 22 1/2
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22 1/2
Fire Insurance	H. 9125 1/2 B.
China Fire	H. 309 1/2
Hongkong Fire	H. 309 1/2
Shipping	H. 300
Indo-China Def.	H. 300 B.
Indo-China Pref.	\$2 1/2
"Shell"	Tls. 44 B.
Shanghai Tug ord	Tls. 39
Shai Tug Ref.	Tls. 39
Mining	Tls. 20 B.
Kaiping	Tls. 13
Oriental Cons.	H. 31 B.
Rail	
Hongkong Dock	H. 3164 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 8 1/2 B.
New Eng. Works	
Food	Tls. 4 1/2
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 150 B.
Hongkong Wharf	H. 388 B.
Land and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 87 1/2
Shanghai Land	Tls. 88 1/2 B.
Welshland Land	Tls. 8
Shai Hotel, Ltd.	Tls. 07 1/2
China Realty ord	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
Ewo (ord.)	Tls. 10 1/2 B.
Ewo (pref.)	Tls. 104
Laow-kung-mow	Tls. 22
Oriental	Tls. 13 B.
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 147 1/2
Industries	
Butler Tils	Tls. 25
China Sugar	H. 150
Green Island	H. 322 1/2 x d.
Langkai	Tls. 830 B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
Shai Sumatra	Tls. 80
Stores	
Hall and Holts	\$0
Clewlyn	\$30
Lane, Crawford	\$08 B.
Moutrie	\$40
Watson	H. 10 Sa.
Weeks	\$13
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 3
Amherst	Tls. 0.15
Anglo-Java	Tls. 4.10 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 1 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 12
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.35
Bute	Tls. 0.40
Bukit Tok Alang	Tls. 1
Chemor United	Tls. 0.35
Chempedak	Tls. 2
Cheng	Tls. 1
Consolidated	Tls. 0.75 B.
Dominion	Tls. 0.75 B.
Sula Kalumpung	Tls. 5 1/2 B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 0.20
Kapala	Tls. 6
Kapayang	Tls. 6
Karan	Tls. 1
Kedah	Tls. 1
Kota Bharu	Tls. 0.60
Krook-Java	Tls. 5 S.
Padang	Tls. 3
Pengkalan Darian	Tls. 1
Pernata	Tls. 1
Rajah	Tls. 25 cts.
Samagga	Tls. 0.40
Seokow	Tls. 50 cts.
Samambu	Tls. 0.40 B.
Sonawang	Tls. 0.60
Shai Klebang	Tls. 0.35
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 1
Shai Malay pref.	Tls. 5
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 50 cts.
Sungai	Tls. 25 cts.
Sungai Duri	Tls. 4 B.
Sua Mangga	Tls. 1
Shai Seremban	Tls. 0.40
Shai	Tls. 0.15
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.25
Webong	Tls. 0.80
Wong	Tls. 1 1/2 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Cully Dairy	Tls. 10 B.
Shanghai Tams	Tls. 98 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 27 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 40
Shai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
Shai Telephone	Tls. 88 B.
Shai Waterworks	Tls. 142 1/2 B.
S. Sellers, Sa. Sales, B. Buyers	
Benjamin and Potts, 3 Jinkoo Rd.	
Telephone No. 5041, 5042	

Money Exchange

Shanghai, February 23, 1922	
Market	72.5
Native Interest	04
Mexican Dollars	
Shanghai Gold Bars 978	
Touch	333
Copper Cash	217.500
Bar Silver	33 1/2
London rate	
Bank rate of Discount	5%
Paris on London	48.47
New York on London	44.1
Banks Opening Selling Rates.	
London	
Telegraphic Transfer	
per Tael	3s. 2 1/2 d.
Demand	3s. 2 1/2 d.
New York	
Telegraphic Transfer	70%
Demand	71
Paris	
Demand	778
India	
Demand	248%
Hongkong	
Demand	74%
Yokohama	
Demand	67
Batavia	
Demand	187 1/2
Singapore	
Demand	72
Banks Opening Buying Rates.	
London	
Nominal	
Demand	3s. 4 1/2 d.
4 m-s. Credits	3s. 5 1/2 d.
4 m-s. Docs.	3s. 6 d.
6 m-s. Credits	3s. 6 1/2 d.
6 m-s. Docs.	3s. 7 1/2 d.
New York	
Nominal	
Demand	73%
4 m-s. Credits	77%
4 m-s. Docs.	78%
Paris	
4 m-s.	875
Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate	
@ 73% = Tls. 125.60	
@ exch. 72.7 = Mex. \$156.52	
Sovereigns	
@ 3s. 4 1/2 d. = Tls. 5.96	
@ exch. 72.7 = Mex. \$8.20	
Tourists' Exchange	
@ Bank's Demand Buying Rates	
(Hongkong and Shanghai Bank)	
£10 @ exch. 3s. 4 1/2 d. = Tls. 59.63	
£10 @ exch. 73% = Tls. 67.80	
Fr. 250 @ exch. \$25 = Tls. 30.30	
1 Shanghai Tael = Mex. \$1.33	
at Bank's selling rate for Mexican Dollars.	
CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE	
RATES FOR FEBRUARY	
Hk. Tls. 5.10 @ 3s. 6 1/2 d. = £1	
" 1 @ 78% = G\$1	
" 1 @ 908 Fr. 10.12	
" 1 @ 65% Yen 1.71	
" 1 @ 263 1/2	
" 1 @ 16.62 Ital.	
" 1 @ 150 Mex. \$1.50	
" 1 @ — Roubles =	
Shanghai, February 3, 1922	
International Banking Corporation	
CLOSING COUNTER RATES	
Demand selling on America 70%	
Demand buying on America 71%	
Demand selling on London	
3s. 2 1/2 d.	
Demand buying on London	
3s. 3 1/2 d.	

GOLD BAR QUOTATIONS

Time	Quotations	Bars
9:00	332.50	560
9:30	332.90	700
10:00	333.40	490
10:30	333.80	455
11:00	333.90	560
11:30	333.20	
Closing at	332.60	910
Opening afternoon:		
2:00	332.30	
2:30	332.50	420
2:50	332.80	630
Closing at	332.70	140

ROUBLES EXCHANGE

Bank's Buying Rate	
Roubles 100,000	Tls. 100
Roubles 100	Mex. \$0.07

LIRE EXCHANGE

Bank's Selling Rate	
L. Lire 13.90 = 1 Tael	
Swiss Frs. 3.55 = 1 Tael	
Marks 140.00 = 1 Tael	

Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation
February 23, 1922
Spot bar silver was down 1/4 d. and forward 1/4 d. in London yesterday. As there was a holiday in New York, no cable has been received from there, but the London-New York cross rate, as cabled by London, is 44.1.
The official Sterling rate this morning was dropped to 3-2 1/2, the Gold Dollar rate to 70%, the Rupee rate to 248% and the Franco rate to 775. The Yen rate was raised to 67.
The market at the opening was easy and, in the course of the morning, grew weak, business at one time being done as low as 3-2 1/2 for February, 3-2 1/2 for March and 3-2 for April. Gold Dollars were done as low as 70% for February, 70% for March and 70% for April.
In the afternoon, however, the market steadied up, and there were good sellers of Sterling for February at 3-2 1/2 to 3-2 1/2, for March at 3-2 1/2 and for April at 3-2 1/2. There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 71 for February, 70% for March and 70% for April. There were buyers at a fraction over these rates. China sold silver in London again yesterday and the market there is reported as being uncertain at the close.

Chartered Stock And Produce Exchange Ltd.

Closing Quotation Of Transactions, yesterday

Shanghai, February 23, 1922	
The China Trading Trust Co.	\$5.20 February
\$5.60 March	
Canton S. & P. Ex. Ltd.	\$11.40 February
\$12.30 March	
Chartered S. & P. Ex. (New).	\$36.90 February
\$37.50 March	
Chartered S. & P. Ex. (Old).	\$225.00 February
\$204.40 March	
China Cotton Standard of Tungechow.	Tls. 31.80 February
\$32.60 April	
Local Yarn for Standard 16's Cloudy Stock.	Tls. 146.50 February
" 147.50 March	
" 148.80 April	
" 148.00 May	
Shanghai Gold Bar 978	Tls. 330.50 March
" 332.80 April	

LONDON-PARIS RATE

(French Wireless through Reuters)
Paris, Feb. 22.—The Paris-London cross-rate was quoted today at: £1=francs 48.48%.



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The Chinese Optical Co.
司公鏡眼金精國中
352 Nanking Road, SHANGHAI

Tramways Returns

The following is the tram return of the Shanghai Tramways, Foreign Settlement, for the week ended February 22, 1922, with figures for the corresponding week last year:

1922	
Gross receipts	\$65,889.55
Loss by currency depreciation	22,716.97
Effective receipts	\$43,172.56

Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	36.31
Car miles run	109,670
Passengers carried	2,313,903
1921	
Gross receipts	\$53,168.53
Loss by currency depreciation	15,491.31
Effective receipts	\$37,677.22

Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	30.60
Car miles run	89,485
Passengers carried	2,304,152

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Shanghai, February 23, 1922	
Anglo-Java Tls. 4.00	
Ewo Mills Tls. 20.00 March	79
Oriental Cotton Tls. 13.20	
Telephones Tls. 83.00	
UNOFFICIAL	
Yangtze Insurance \$24.00	
Shanghai Tug (Ord.) Tls. 45.00	

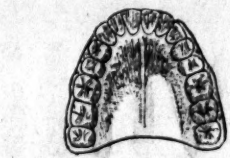
The Small Investors' Co.

SA Peking Road

Shanghai, February 23, 1922	
Business Reported	
Oriental Tls. 13.25	
Shanghai Tugs Tls. 45.00	
Ewo Tls. 19.75	
New Eng. (Pref.) Tls. 4.80	
Yangtze Insurance \$24.50	
Engineering (Ord.) Tls. 8.50	

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New York Stocks

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce has received the following telegraphic quotations, dated New York, February 20, 1922.
Liberty Bonds 3rd 4 1/2% 1928. 97.40
Victory Bonds 4 1/2% 1922-23. 100.30
American Telephone and Telegraph Convertible 6's 1925. 112.00
Standard Oil Co. of New York 7 1/2 1931. 106 1/2
New York City 4 1/2% 1965. 104 1/2
British American Tobacco Co. Ltd. Common. 13 1/2
Pacific Development Corporation Stock. 7 1/2
OTHER QUOTATIONS
New York, Feb. 6.—The following were the closing prices today:
Bar Silver. 66
Demand Sterling. 432 1/2
Centrifugal Sugar. 3.70
STOCKS
American Smelter. 46 1/2
American Sugar. 66 1/2
American Tel. and Tel. 118 1/2
Anaconda. 48 1/2
Atchafson. 96 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive. 102 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio. 35
Bethlehem Steel. 62 1/2
Calif. Petroleum. 48 1/2
Canadian Pacific. 126
Chgo. Milw. and St. Paul. 19 1/2
Crucible Steel. 62 1/2
Cuba Cane. 10
General Electric. 146 1/2
General Motors. 9
Great Northern. 74
New York Central. 76 1/2
Reading. 74
Southern Pacific. 82 1/2
Studebaker. 93 1/2
Texas Co. 45 1/2
Union Pacific. 129 1/2
United States Steel. 87
Westinghouse. 53 1/2
United States Rubber. 55 1/2
San Francisco, Feb. 6.—Cocunut oil, ex-sellers' tank cars. 10 Canton Road. Shanghai.

Exchange Market

Messrs. Maitland, Fearon and Brand write as follows in their exchange circular for week ending Wednesday:
Exchange.—The London price of silver, after touching 33 1/4 d. with a little Indian buying for "spot" has recovered to 33 1/2 d. the rate for two months forward is 1/4 d. lower than ready. Our rate for T.T. on London follows silver, dropping to 3s. 2 1/4 d. and recovering 1/4 d. to 3s. 3 d. today. A steady market prevailed on profit taking resales of Gold T.T. but today the market it wear again, and the official quotation for T.T. quite nominal, with good buyers at 3s. 2 1/4 d.

Our stocks of silver are reported as follows:
Sveco and Bar Silver Tls. \$3,820,000, an increase of Tls. 2,450,000.
Chinese and Mexican Dollars \$26,860,000, an increase of \$2,490,000.
Estimated value in Tls. 53-159,000 as against Tls. 65,975,000 held at this time last year.

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WEATHER

A new depression deepening in Szechuen will come nearer, along the Yangtze. Variable weather with threats of rain. N. E. to S. E. winds between Shanghai and Fomora. Variable breezes elsewhere.

DEATHS

AT THE Shanghai General Hospital, on Thursday, 23rd February, Theophilus Sertorio Pereira, of Brewer & Co., Shanghai, aged 73 years. Deeply regretted. Requiem Mass will be said at 8 a.m. today, Friday, 24th inst. in the Church of the Sacred Heart, and the funeral will take place at the Bubbling Well Cemetery at 5 o'clock. All friends are invited to attend. Hongkong, Macao and Canton papers please copy.

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DAVIS, ANNA A., wife of Theodore G. Davis, of Plainfield, N. J., at Dr. Fearon's Sanatorium, Thursday evening, Feb. 23rd. Services today at Bubbling Well Cemetery, at 3 p.m. All friends are invited.

The Chinese Political Stage

BY JOSEF W. HALL

THE most successful misrepresentation is either those very akin to fact or those very opposite to fact. Human nature loves a good, 100 percent lie.

A year or so ago a chap named Bland, whose theory is that China needs a despot, and whose hobby is picking out budding supermen, climaxed a glowing encomium of Chang Tso-lin with the statement, designed to show this chieftain's kingly ability, that "there are no bandits in Manchuria."

About the time this beautiful statement was made, a foreign missionary was attacked and killed in his own residence in Changchun, the third city of Chang Tso-lin's domain, by organized brigands. Since that time a Japanese leader of a Chinese Red-beard band operating in Manchuria has publicly lectured in Tokyo on the exploits of his indomitable gang, and boasted that he is going back to pursue his great aim which is ultimately to "get" Chang Tso-lin himself.

The lawlessness prevailing in Harbin, Chang's second city, has made ordinary residence therein less safe than trench-service on the battle line in France. As to the environs of Chang Tso-lin's capital itself, an outrage was recently perpetrated by an armed gang on a party of sightseers visiting the Imperial tombs a few minutes' auto drive from that city.

And as to the hinterland, every missionary, every B. A. T. man and every trader—not excepting Chinese and Japanese—knows that it is with his life in his hands and his goods on a gamble that he strikes across country. In Kirin and Hellungkiang conditions are so bad that the local authorities decline to guarantee protection to the traveller, and the foreigner, whose death or injury might cause complications, is categorically forbidden to proceed. The result is that when he goes, he does so in technical defiance of the authorities, who thus are happily relieved of responsibility of the outcome and may, in peace of mind, share their loot with whom they may be at the time enquired.

The Japanese consular authorities at the present moment are endeavoring to get satisfaction for a brigand attack upon eight travellers in Hellungkiang.

Yet, now and anon, we hear repeated—often by those who have a pecuniary interest in whitewashing Chang Tso-lin's reputation—"There is no banditry in Manchuria." Eugene Chen said, "If there is no banditry in Manchuria it is because the chief of the bandits now rules the land." We might rather say, since it is not true that thief does not rob thief and brigand does not plunder brigand, that if there is no banditry in Manchuria than there was never any violence in France.

From Annam to Zungaria, from Tibet to Shanghai, no territory is so unsafe for the traveller as that of Chang Tso-lin's. At the same time no country on earth has so large a soldier-police population to the thousand inhabitants. Should Chang Tso-lin extend his domain south of the Great Wall, and increase his armies proportionately, it will be necessary for every Life and Burglar Assurance Company doing business in the affected territory to increase its rates.

There is much puzzlement in the vicinity of the capital over Chang Tso-lin's recent order to the officers commanding his garrisons south of the wall to send their families to Mukden. One group of publicists rushes into print with the deduction that it heralds an immediate campaign against Wu Pei-fu. Another group proclaims the equally hasty conclusion that it signifies Chang's modest acknowledgment that he

must defer to the Chihli faction south of the wall, and precedes his withdrawal of all forces this side of Shanhaikwan. Observation shows that Chang Tso-lin is making strategic moves to strengthen his position about Peking. He is sparing no effort to stir up an attack from the rear against Wu. At the same time he has no idea of rashly beginning a military campaign on the enemy's territory.

Having observed the manner in which Chang Tso-lin maintains his hold over his subordinates, I venture to say that Chang's order to his officers to send their wives and children to Mukden where they will be safely within his grasp is his medieval method of assuring the loyalty of these men to his ambitions and their obedience to his will. Chang's power south of the wall has recently been threatened by a disaffection among the Fengtien military here—which disaffection is in large part responsible for Wu Pei-fu's quick success in overturning the Liang cabinet.

The problem of keeping on top of his own men is a recurrent one with the Supertuchun, as with all tyrants who rule by terrorism. Several days ago, having become suspicious of his puppet at Harbin, a kinsman of the same name, he summoned this unfortunate Chang to Mukden and summarily executed him. Doubtless the victim deserved his fate. But he who takes the sword shall perish by the sword.

Correspondence

REGISTRATION OF SERVANTS

EDITOR, THE CHINA PRESS.

Dear Sir: With reference to the comments in the press on Registration of Servants, although many of your correspondents have been indulging in sarcasm and personalities, I have not yet read one argument against Registration.

The letter from "V.B.C." in the press from a sarcastic point of view is a masterpiece, and although he dwells at length on the inconsideration of foreign employers, and the appreciation of Chinese servants, he does not give a real reason for or against Registration, and as no doubt he can only appreciate his own form of sarcasm, permit me to reply in the same strain.

His remark that should he need a new coolie, and reading upon his registration card that he left his foreign employer because, "Master no pay my wages proper!" is absurd. Should such be the case—may I ask if that would affect "V.B.C." adversely?

Before Mr. "V.B.C." takes it upon himself to criticize the "nouveau riche masters and mistresses," he should first learn how to use the plural of the French with plural English nouns—and this, regardless that the "magnificent individual" "V.B.C." who boasts "that he has had soup served to him in Paris, London and New York."

Does "V.B.C." wish us to believe that his well known saying "Like master—like servant" is indicative of the true value of "V.B.C."? And is he in truth on no higher plane than the servants he employs? No doubt he is well informed, and speaks from personal experience when he states that "there are numbers of people living in Shanghai who have never had servants to wait upon them until they came to this town."

While his statement that "they expect the most extraordinary devotion that they, in turn, never would or could give to their own employers" gives me an inkling to the identity of "V.B.C." who is, I believe, such an employee.

What connection is there between Registration and the statement of "V.B.C." that "if ladies have not got good servants, perhaps their servants have not got good mistresses"? Reviewing "V.B.C.'s" English and French can we wonder at his statement "I like the Chinese and the Chinese like me?"

When "V.B.C." states that "Chinese servants should receive their food free" and that "every Chinese employer supplies his servants with their food" he forgets that Chinese employers do not pay half the wages paid by foreign employers. Also that Chinese servants in foreign homes always pay the cook about \$3.00 per head per month for their food. Anyway what connection is there between these facts and Registration?

Does the Municipal Council "care a button" about "V.B.C." when he writes "I do not care a button if the Municipal Council dabbles with this ridiculous registration statute because I shall not take any notice of it?"

It is quite apparent that "V.B.C." conducts his home "according to Chinese ethics and ways" when he admits that "there have been occasions when a thumb print has spoiled the virgin purity of the edge of his soup plate" and his further remark "but that is between me and my friend Ping Pong" proves conclusively that he has no more need for Registration than he has for grammar and a clean soup plate.

In conclusion I might ask what class of restaurants "V.B.C." frequented in Paris, London and New York where he had soup served which had thumb prints and worse besides? Yours etc.

February 22, 1922.



PATIENCE

Let poets sing their lilted song
And gaily smite the lyre;
Give me the man who whistles
while
He's putting on a tyre.

Aviation records prove that man has conquered the air. But a correspondent from Quinsan Gardens says that the young woman at the piano next door will never conquer it.

COOLIE AND COULDN'T

The little story that follows is said to be one of the favorites of Mr. Woodrow Wilson.

"A Scotsman and an American were talking on board a ship one day.

"In New York," said the American, "we've certainly got a fine lot of young men."

"Nae doot," replied the Scotsman. "A lot of oor lads have been emigratin' lately."

"The American frowned, and thought for awhile. Then he said in a sarcastic voice:

"George Washington was not a Scotsman, and he couldn't tell a lie."

"Oh, ay!" the Scot retorted. "A Scotsman could, but he wouldn't!"

"Oh, my, I wish I was a girl!" sighed little George Snow.

"Then mother needn't wash my ears,"

Because they wouldn't show."

Why do the girls hide their ears? It is about the only thing they do hide. Skirts up to the knees and blouses almost down to them—and in this weather too!

TAKE YOUR CHOICE
The Countess of Granard, who is American by birth—she was a Miss Ogden Mills before her marriage—tells a story of how the municipal authorities of a certain city in her native country impressed upon motorists the need for careful driving.

She was piloting her own car through the environs of the place, when she noticed a big signboard by the side of the road with the word "Stop" in foot-long letters on top, and what she rightly surmised to be a warning of some sort in smaller letters below.

Naturally, knowing something by reputation at all events, of American police methods, she stopped. And this is what she read:

Drive slow and see our beautiful city.

Drive fast and see our beautiful gaol.

THE MARRIAGE TIE

Discussing marriage and married life with a few intimate friends, Mr. A. J. Balfour, who is, of course a confirmed bachelor, let himself go pretty freely.

He ended by saying that nearly all married couples led a cat-and-dog life.

"But, look here," said one friend. "That's an altogether too sweeping statement. Besides, cats and dogs don't always quarrel. Look at those two on your own hearth at this moment. They get on well enough."

Balfour smiled. "Tie them together—and watch," he said.

Ewo Cotton Mills, Limited

The First Ordinary Meeting of the Ewo Cotton Mills, Limited, was held at the offices of the General Managers yesterday morning.

The notice convening the meeting and auditors' report was read. The Chairman's speech.

Gentlemen: In addressing you today, I have the pleasure to record the successful amalgamation of the Ewo, Kung Yik and Yangtzeppoo Cotton Mills, also to review the report and accounts that are in your hands, which, with your approval, we will take as read.

With regard to the amalgamation the Liquidators will shortly issue a report and I need do no more than inform you that all the formalities consequent on the amalgamation have been carried out, the new shares issued and the properties transferred. This Company now possesses 153,600 Spindles and 1914 Looms, also Waste, Bleaching, Raising and Dyeing Plants.

Accounts.—A comparison of our first Balance Sheet with the last issued reports of the old companies will show that to equalize the additional capitalization brought about by the amalgamation land and plant and machinery have been written up and buildings reduced—this was done after careful deliberation and with the approval of our auditors. In order not to weary you with details I propose merely to give you the totals to show how we have dealt with land, buildings and plant and machinery.

The book values of the old companies were: Tls. 3,062,763.37, whereas those of this company are Tls. 4,312,763.37, but the valuations made by experts at the time of the amalgamation were no less than Tls. 5,548,561.37.

As regards the word "cost" in the Balance Sheet I wish shareholders clearly to understand that it means "cost" to this Company, not original cost of the items involved.

From the Profit and Loss Account it will be observed that, inclusive of the profits donated by the vendor companies, the profits amount to the very satisfactory figure of Tls. 3,180,651.39, which, after deducting the Interim Dividend, absorbing Tls. 480,000, the Consulting Committee recommend you to allocate as follows:

To pay Dividend on Preference Shares at rate of 8 percent per annum from April 6 to December 31, 1921. Tls. 53,260.27.

To pay a final Dividend on 800,000 Ordinary Shares of Tls. 2.40 per share Tls. 1,920,000.00.

To write off Buildings Tls. 100,000.00.

To write off Plant and Machinery Tls. 280,000.00.

To write off Water Supply Tls. 5,000.00.

To write off Furniture Tls. 2,000.00.

To add to General Reserve Fund Tls. 26,868.80.

To add to Equalisation of Dividends Fund Tls. 25,000.00.

To add to Cotton Fluctuation Fund Tls. 50,000.00.

To add to Special Repairs and Renewals Fund Tls. 100,000.00.

To add to Chinese Superannuation Fund Tls. 30,000.00.

To pay Bonus to Staff at the Mills, Tls. 80,000.00.

To donate to charities Tls. 20,000.00.

To carry forward to New Account Tls. 8,522.32.

Total Tls. 2,700,651.39.

The Profit and Loss Account actually covers a period of one year, but in order to conform with legal formalities it has been necessary to publish it in the manner adopted.

Preference Shareholders in the old Companies have already been paid interest to April 5, 1921, and it is therefore only necessary to provide interest from that date.

The suggested final dividend on the Ordinary Shares of Tls. 2.40 means a return of Tls. 3 per share for the year, which I venture to hope will be considered highly satisfactory by shareholders.

By writing Tls. 280,000 off Plant and Machinery, Tls. 100,000 off Buildings, Tls. 5,000 off Water Supply and Tls. 2,000 off Furniture I consider we are dealing liberally with these items, and I trust we may be able to adopt a somewhat similar course during the next few years.

By adding the amounts I have already referred to to General Reserve Fund, Equalisation of Dividends Fund and Cotton Fluctuation Fund we will bring these reserves up to 17 lakhs, 14 lakhs and 5 lakhs respectively, totalling Tls. 3,600,000 which is 90 percent of the Ordinary Share Capital of the Company.

During the period under review we have expended over a lakh on Special Repairs and Renewals and it is desirable to place Tls. 100,000 to the credit of this fund, bringing it up to Tls. 228,784.99 as we have in sight much that requires to be undertaken in order to maintain our Machinery in a high state of efficiency.

At the moment we have at the credit of Chinese Superannuation Fund Tls. 111,261.52—while this is sufficient to cover all known liabilities to our employees, I propose to augment the fund with Tls. 20,000 as in my opinion we shall lose nothing by being in a position to be liberal to those who, through unforeseen circumstances or old age, may need our assistance.

I hope the amount set aside for bonus to Staff at the Mills will have your approval. The success of our undertaking is in a large measure dependent on the

energies of the Staff and special recognition of their services in a good year will, I feel sure, spur them on to greater efforts to maintain the quality of our products and increase production—two great factors in meeting competition.

While the Company from time to time subscribes towards the support of local institutions that work for the welfare of our Chinese employees, I propose that we should set aside a sum of Tls. 20,000 to be divided among such hospitals etc. as the General Managers may think fit. At the moment I have specially in mind a large donation towards the erection of a new Chinese Hospital in the Yangtzeppoo district, adjacent to our Ewo and Yangtzeppoo Mills, which has been promoted by certain benevolent Chinese.

In the Balance Sheet is detailed a liability of Tls. 154,081.17 to sundry shareholders in the vendor companies. If this sum is not claimed by the shareholders concerned, it will in due course be required by the Liquidators of the old companies for payment to the British Court to conform with the requirements of Company Law.

Of the amount received from the old companies on account of Unclaimed Dividends there was a credit balance of Tls. 98,812.05 at December 31, of which Tls. 288 was appropriated in last year's accounts. At the moment there is a sum of Tls. 99,727.08 standing at the credit of this account, which, if not claimed by shareholders, will be absorbed in the annual accounts from year to year.

I now have to explain to you the special Suspense Account which appears in the Balance Sheet. The credit item represents the profits earned by the old Ewo Company for two months and the old Kung Yik Company for one month to 31st December 1920, and which were acquired by this company. The debits represent capital returned to Ordinary shareholders of the old Yangtzeppoo and Kung Yik Companies, dividend paid on Ewo Mills Preference Shares for two months to 31st December 1920, Liquidators' fees, liquidation and preliminary expenses, absorbing Tls. 219,037.14, leaving a balance of Tls. 47,227.19, which, with the approval of the auditors, has been written off Plant & Machinery, as such sum could not be taken into the profits of this Company. This

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While the Company from time to time subscribes towards the support of local institutions that work for the welfare of our Chinese employees, I propose that we should set aside a sum of Tls. 20,000 to be divided among such hospitals etc. as the General Managers may think fit. At the moment I have specially in mind a large donation towards the erection of a new Chinese Hospital in the Yangtzeppoo district, adjacent to our Ewo and Yangtzeppoo Mills, which has been promoted by certain benevolent Chinese.

In the Balance Sheet is detailed a liability of Tls. 154,081.17 to sundry shareholders in the vendor companies. If this sum is not claimed by the shareholders concerned, it will in due course be required by the Liquidators of the old companies for payment to the British Court to conform with the requirements of Company Law.

Of the amount received from the old companies on account of Unclaimed Dividends there was a credit balance of Tls. 98,812.05 at December 31, of which Tls. 288 was appropriated in last year's accounts. At the moment there is a sum of Tls. 99,727.08 standing at the credit of this account, which, if not claimed by shareholders, will be absorbed in the annual accounts from year to year.

I now have to explain to you the special Suspense Account which appears in the Balance Sheet. The credit item represents the profits earned by the old Ewo Company for two months and the old Kung Yik Company for one month to 31st December 1920, and which were acquired by this company. The debits represent capital returned to Ordinary shareholders of the old Yangtzeppoo and Kung Yik Companies, dividend paid on Ewo Mills Preference Shares for two months to 31st December 1920, Liquidators' fees, liquidation and preliminary expenses, absorbing Tls. 219,037.14, leaving a balance of Tls. 47,227.19, which, with the approval of the auditors, has been written off Plant & Machinery, as such sum could not be taken into the profits of this Company. This

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count Tls. 8,522.32.
Total Tls. 2,700,651.39.

The Profit and Loss Account actually covers a period of one year, but in order to conform with legal formalities it has been necessary to publish it in the manner adopted.

Preference Shareholders in the old Companies have already been paid interest to April 5, 1921, and it is therefore only necessary to provide interest from that date.

The suggested final dividend on the Ordinary Shares of Tls. 2.40 means a return of Tls. 3 per share for the year, which I venture to hope will be considered highly satisfactory by shareholders.

By writing Tls. 280,000 off Plant and Machinery, Tls. 100,000 off Buildings, Tls. 5,000 off Water Supply and Tls. 2,000 off Furniture I consider we are dealing liberally with these items, and I trust we may be able to adopt a somewhat similar course during the next few years.

By adding the amounts I have already referred to to General Reserve Fund, Equalisation of Dividends Fund and Cotton Fluctuation Fund we will bring these reserves up to 17 lakhs, 14 lakhs and 5 lakhs respectively, totalling Tls. 3,600,000 which is 90 percent of the Ordinary Share Capital of the Company.

During the period under review we have expended over a lakh on Special Repairs and Renewals and it is desirable to place Tls. 100,000 to the credit of this fund, bringing it up to Tls. 228,784.99 as we have in sight much that requires to be undertaken in order to maintain our Machinery in a high state of efficiency.

At the moment we have at the credit of Chinese Superannuation Fund Tls. 111,261.52—while this is sufficient to cover all known liabilities to our employees, I propose to augment the fund with Tls. 20,000 as in my opinion we shall lose nothing by being in a position to be liberal to those who, through unforeseen circumstances or old age, may need our assistance.

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but this being our first annual meeting I have thought it desirable to give you a full account of our activities.

Before proposing the adoption of the Report and Accounts I shall be pleased to answer to the best of my ability any questions that you may wish to ask.

Mr. A. Brooke Smith, President, There were present Messrs. E. E. Clark, G. Gordon Mackie, A. Ascoug, H. Martin Smith, W. Ling-shu, Zee Quan-yuen, P. Ching-poo (Consulting Committee), G. G. S. Mackie (Secretary), F. N. Mathews (auditor), H. G. Knight (legal adviser), J. Spunt, X. J. Harrop, A. Woods, S. M. Joseph, F. J. Birrell, C. W. Masden, H. S. Clark, W. Wakeford Cox, Pan Tse-chuen, W. J. Pirie, J. J. Dunn, Douglas Fleming, T. P. Lockhart, Ellis Hayim (shareholders).

On the proposition of the Chairman seconded by Mr. E. E. Clark, the report and accounts were unanimously adopted.

The re-election of the Committee for the ensuing year was proposed by Mr. J. Spunt and seconded by Mr. H. S. Clark, and unanimously approved.

Mr. W. W. Cox proposed, and Mr. Woods seconded the re-election of Messrs. Lowe Bingham and Matthews as auditors for the ensuing year at a remuneration of Tls. 500. This was approved unanimously.

A vote of thanks was passed to the General Managers for the successful showing of the year's working.

I trust I have not wearied you,

Ewo Cotton Mills, Limited

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During the greater part of the year we have had considerable surplus funds which accounts for the credit balance of Tls. \$9,152.23 in Interest Account. Before closing my remarks on

the accounts I should like to draw your special attention to the fact that allowing for the invisible reserve of 4 million taels in Land, Buildings and Machinery and taking into account Tls. 900,000 of Preference Shares (upon which we only pay 8%) and the visible reserve (aggregating Tls. 3,600,000 if you pass the Consulting Committee's recommendations) no less a sum than Tls. 12,500,000 is represented in your undertaking and earning profits to pay dividends on the existing ordinary share capital of 4 millions. I think you will readily admit that this is a highly gratifying state of affairs.

Issue of Shares.—When outlining the details of the amalgamation scheme, shareholders in the old Companies were informed that while the authorised Capital of this Company would be Tls. 5,000,000 of ordinary and Tls. 1,000,000 of Preference shares it was only proposed to issue Tls. 4,000,000 and Tls. 900,000 respectively and that the balance would be available for fresh extensions.

Prior to the amalgamation certain Capital expenditure was authorised by the Consulting Committee of the old Companies and since the inauguration of this Company the General Managers, with the approval of the Consulting Committee, have found it desirable to order further machinery, erect new buildings and acquire land for native

houses. Since the amalgamation expenditure in this respect has aggregated Tls. 595,000 and we are committed to a further outlay of Tls. 600,000 in the near future, with the possible necessity arising for greater expenditure in native housing accommodation.

Bearing these factors in mind, the General Managers and Consulting Committee have for some time past been deliberating on the advisability of acquiring further Capital and have arrived at a decision to issue 100,000 Ordinary shares at a premium of Tls. 5, which will make available 1 million taels and provide for all known requirements for some time to come. Adopting a progressive policy in our business generally means money and I feel you would not wish your undertaking to be handicapped for want of Capital.

Under the Articles of Association the General Managers, with the approval of the Committee, have full power to issue all or any portion of the unissued shares without obtaining special authority from the shareholders, and in the present instance it is proposed at an early date to offer the new shares to existing holders in the proportion of 1 new for 8 old—the new shares to rank for dividend as from 1st January—shares not taken up by shareholders will of course be sold for the benefit of the Company.

This premium on the shares (Tls. 500,000) will be placed to the credit of share Premium account and later, with your approval, be transferred to General Reserve Fund.

In this connection it has been suggested that instead of issuing Ordinary Shares we should obtain what money we may require by putting on the market a number of Preference Shares. In the first place, this is not possible, unless we get powers to have a fresh issue of Preference Shares, as of the authorised Preference Capital there is only a balance of Tls. 100,000. If we were to get powers to issue additional Preference Shares they would only carry a second call on the assets of the Company unless three-fourths of the present Preference Shareholders sanctioned a fresh

issue to rank equally with the existing shares.

Under these circumstances, and in view of the possible difficulty of issuing even first call Preference Shares carrying 8 percent at par, I feel sure you will endorse the decision of the Consulting Committee.

The Year's Working.—Throughout the year under review the demand for the products of your Mills was fairly steady and at no period did we carry very large stocks of manufactured material.

Cotton.—At times during the past year Chinese Cottons were held for very high prices, and we found it necessary to supply our requirements by purchasing larger quantities than usual of American and Indian grades.

With the increasing number of spindles in China it is imperative that the acreage under Cotton should be developed, and it is to be hoped that recent high prices may induce farmers in this country to place more of their land under Cotton. The Government and Provincial Authorities could doubtless encourage the growth of Cotton were they to reduce taxation, but one cannot be optimistic that anything will be done in this direction in the near future.

For the present ample supplies of Cotton are available in India and America, but were we dependent on China alone I should view the near future with much concern as the season's crops will not supply the needs of mills in China.

Labor.—Shortage of labor caused your General Managers much anxiety in the past year, and they decided to build a large number of Chinese houses to attract hands to their mills—wages have also been raised and it is hoped we may not have any idle machinery during the summer months as we did last year.

Recently there has been much agitation about the employment of children in factories and the hours of work—while admitting that conditions here are not ideal compared with those existing in foreign countries I fear little can be done until China brings into operation a factory act.

Buildings.—Many of the old buildings have been thoroughly overhauled and several useful additions have been built.

At Kung Yik mill a new Cloth Room has been in use for some time, and a new Sizing Room is now being fitted up. A three-storey Reinforced Concrete Godown is in course of erection together with a new water intake. When this Godown is completed we shall be able to dispense with several old buildings.

At Yangtzepoo mill we have in course of erection a brick Godown, a new mill capable of taking 10,000 Spindles and two new foreign houses. Both the brick godown and the houses are being constructed out of material from an old godown that was pulled down in order to make room for the new mill.

This mill should be working towards the end of this year. Within easy reach of Ewo Mill we have purchased some 15 Mow of Land and are erecting thereon 161 Native Houses: some of these will be ready for occupation in about two months.

With the same object in view we have obtained land near Kung Yik Mill and we intend shortly to make a start on some 80 houses.

Plant and Machinery.—Overhauling and repairs have been kept up and necessary additions have been made and if we continue our policy of setting aside a liberal amount every year for Special Repairs and Renewals,

the whole of the plant will be capable of producing as good quality as any of the new machinery that is now coming to China.

The most important items purchased during the year consist of 4,980 Ring spindles and 1,350 Mule spindles and other large additions for our Waste Plant at Ewo Mill, all of which should be in full operation by the end of this year.

The 4,080 Ring spindles will be accommodated in the new mill on our Yangtzepoo property, to which we intend to transfer 5,000 spindles from the Ewo No. 1 and Yangtzepoo Mills in order to relieve congestion in those buildings.

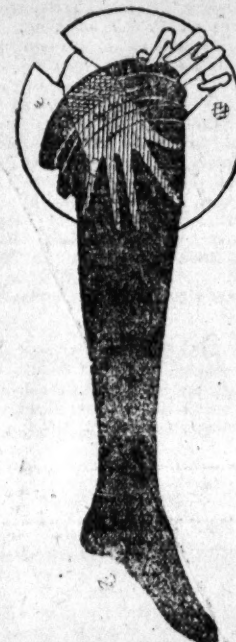
Future Prospects.—At the present time we are full of orders in all branches of our business at satisfactory prices for 6-8 weeks. The statistical position is healthy and the outlook is not disappointing, but increasing competition from new mills must in due course mean smaller margins of profit. At the same time from the figures I have stated I think you will admit that we are in a position to do as well as any of our competitors and better than most of the new mills, and given a good state of trade we can hope to earn useful dividends.

The long continued political unrest in China is much to be deplored as from time to time business in certain districts comes to a complete standstill, only to be resumed when the soldiery are satisfied, but in spite of hardships the native merchants meet their difficulties and carry on—more recent times the merchant appears to have accepted Teuchun rule as a necessary evil, and the surprising feature is that since the Revolution in 1911 the Cotton Mill industry has experienced a period of unexampled prosperity—may that prosperity continue and may we soon see China under a united Government are surely the sincere wishes of those present here today.

Taxation.—For many years past your General Managers have been agitating for the abolition of taxation on Cotton and the products of Mills in China and some slight progress has been made, but there is yet room for much improvement.

As a result of recent representations to certain members of the Chinese Mill owners Association I am pleased to inform you that that institution passed a resolution on January 17 to request the Government to abolish the taxation on native Yarn and Cloth. I sincerely trust that the peti-

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. Luenho, 2,368 Tons, Captain Wright, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Saturday, February 25, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. Tuckwo, 3,770 Tons, Captain Polignone, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, February 28, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone C. 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. Eyang, 1,732 Tons, Captain Williams, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Old Ningpo Wharf on Thursday, March 2, at about midnight. For Freight, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Tel. C. 241. Extension to Freight Department.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Poyang, Captain Carnaghan, will leave from the French Bund on Thursday, March 2, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Tel. C. No. 4881. Private Branch Exchange to All Departments.

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For Foreign Ports

VANCOUVER, B.C., via NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA & VICTORIA, B.C.—The Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., s.s. EMPRESS OF RUSSIA will leave Vancouver on Sunday, February 26, The tender will leave the Customs Jetty with Passengers and Hand Baggage only at 4 p.m. on Sunday. For Passage, apply to A. H. TESSIER, Palace Hotel Building, 19A Bund, Phone C. 182. For Freight, apply to N. LEES-SMITH, corner of Peking and Yuen Ming Kuen Roads, Phone C. 181.

Shipping Items

YANGTZE PORTS.—The N.S. s.s. Ninghsiao left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today about noon. The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today about noon. The I.C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today about noon. The C.N. s.s. Whangpu left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today about noon. The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow noon. The I.C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow noon. The C.N. s.s. Tatum left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow noon. The S.P. s.s. Changon left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday. The I.C. s.s. Tuckwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday. The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday. The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Monday. The C.N. s.s. Wosung will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Monday. The C.M. s.s. Kiangnan will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Tuesday.

SOUTHERN PORTS.—The S.M. s.s. Kaho left Amoy for Shanghai Wednesday evening. The C.M. s.s. Feiching left Poochow yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow. The Adl. Line s.s. City of Spokane left Manila for Cebu on Tuesday.

For Northern Ports

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Shuntien, Captain Christiansen, will leave from the French Bund on Friday, February 24, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. French Bund. Telephone Central No. 4881. Private Branch Exchange to All Departments.

TIENTSIN DIRECT.—The Kailau Mining Administration, will dispatch the s.s. Henrik, on Feb. 25, 1922. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 1 Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 317.

TSINGTAO & DALNY.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Ningpo, Captain Isbister, will leave on Saturday, February 25, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Tel. C. No. 4881. Private Branch Exchange to All Departments.

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Vladivostok via Nagasaki.—The Mail s.s. Yungshin, Captain Poolga, will be despatched from Shanghai on Saturday, March 4. The tender conveying mail and passengers will leave the French Mail Jetty on Saturday, at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to L. V. Lang, No. 8 French Bund. (Tel. Nos. Central 4702 and 3059).

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NAGASAKI DIRECT.—The Mail s.s. Yungshin, Capt. Poolga, will be despatched from Shanghai on Saturday, March 4. The tender conveying mail and passengers will leave the French Mail Jetty on Saturday, at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to L. V. Lang, No. 8 French Bund. (Tel. Nos. Central 4702 and 3059).

from Gothenburg for India, left Hamburg on Dec. 21. The S.E. m.s. Formosa and s.s. Sumatra are expected to load at Gothenburg early March and April respectively.

The Glen Line s.s. Glenariff, Glenogle and Glenapp are expected to arrive in Shanghai from London on March 10, 22 and 23 respectively.

The P. & O. s.s. Kashgar arrived in Shanghai from Kobe Wednesday morning and will sail for London tomorrow. The tender with outgoing passengers and hand baggage only will leave the Customs Jetty at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. Heavy baggage must be delivered to the lighter at the Customs Jetty between 2 to 3 p.m. today.

The M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon arrived in Shanghai from Marcellas and ports yesterday morning and is docked at the S.M.R. Whangpu Wharf. The liner will sail for Kobe and Yokohama at noon tomorrow.

AMERICAN LINES.—The Isthmian Steamship Lines s.s. Steel Scientist, from New Orleans on Jan. 1 via Panama, arrived at Kobe last Wednesday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about March 2.

The Adl. Line s.s. Elkton, from New York, left Honolulu for Yokohama on Wednesday, February 15.

The Adl. Line s.s. West Ivan left Seattle for Yokohama on Feb. 17. The Adl. Line s.s. Eastern Cloud, from New York, left Kobe for Manila on Monday.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia left Hongkong at 5 o'clock yesterday evening and is due to arrive at Wosung late tomorrow night. The tender with incoming passengers is expected to reach the Customs Jetty about 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning. The liner will sail for Vancouver Sunday evening and the outbound tender with passengers and hand baggage will leave the Jetty at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Heavy baggage should be delivered to the Company's godown before noon tomorrow.

The Adl. Line s.s. Eastern Merchant, from New York, arrived at Chinwangtao from Karatsu on Tuesday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Pine Tree left Seattle on Feb. 18 and is due to arrive in Shanghai by way of Yokohama and Kobe on March 7. The liner will sail for Hongkong and Manila on Mar. 9.

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Kiangyung, Hankow Feb. 27
Kiangyung, Hankow Feb. 24
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Luenyi, Hankow Mar. 2
Poyang, Hankow Mar. 1
Takada, Calcutta Mar. 2
Tatum, Hankow Feb. 25
Tuckwo, Hankow Feb. 26
Whangpu, Hankow Feb. 24
Wosung, Hankow Mar. 3
Wosung, Hankow Feb. 27
Wuchang, Hankow Mar. 3

Launch Services

TOMORROW.—The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage only on board the P. & O. s.s. Kashgar, for London will leave the Customs Jetty at 9:30 a.m. Sunday, February 26, 1922. The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage only on board the C. P. S. s.s. Empress of Russia, for Vancouver will leave the Customs Jetty at 4 p.m.

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S.S. "WHANGPU" sails February 25th, midnight.
S.S. "TATUNG" sails February 27th, midnight.

Steamers connect at Hankow with the Company's sailings on the Middle Yangtze and Hunan Lines.

FOR WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.
S.S. "KANSU" sails February 28th, at 3 p.m.

FOR HONGKONG AND CANTON via SWATOW AND AMOY.
Steamers connect at Hongkong with services to the Philippines, Indo-China and Australian Ports, also to Bangkok and Singapore.

FOR NINGPO.
S.S. "HSIN PEKING" sails at 4:30 p.m. every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

The above steamers have Electric Light throughout and are fitted with Electric Fans and Steam Heaters in State Rooms and Dining Saloons and are otherwise completely equipped for the comfort and convenience of Passengers.

For further particulars regarding Sailings, Passage Rates, etc., see "The Taikoo Shipping Gazette" or apply to

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28 Days to England & The Continent

Inauguration of Fortnightly Service

Steamer	Leave Shal	Arrive Vanc'r	Connecting with	Leave Quebec	Arrive S'hampton C'bourg
E. Russia	Feb. 26	Mar. 13	Metagama	Mar. 24	Mar. 31
E. Asia	Mar. 25	Apr. 10	E. Britain	Apr. 22	Apr. 29
E. Russia	Apr. 22	May 8	E. France	May 16	May 23
E. Asia	May 20	June 5	E. France	June 13	June 20
E. Canada	June 3	June 19	E. Scotland	June 27	July 4
E. Russia	June 17	July 3	E. France	July 11	July 18
E. Asia	July 15	July 31	E. France	Aug. 8	Aug. 15
E. Canada	July 29	Aug. 14	E. Scotland	Aug. 22	Aug. 29
E. Russia	Aug. 12	Aug. 28	E. France	Sept. 5	Sept. 12
E. Australia	Aug. 26	Sept. 11	E. Scotland	Sept. 19	Sept. 26

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16 DAYS SHANGHAI TO SEATTLE

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	Leave Shanghai	Arrive Seattle
S.S. "SILVER STATE"	Mar. 12	Mar. 28
S.S. "PINE TREE STATE"	Mar. 26	Apr. 11
S.S. "WENATCHEE"	Apr. 9	Apr. 25
S.S. "BAY STATE"	Apr. 23	May 9
S.S. "KEYSTONE STATE"	May 6	May 23

SUBSEQUENT SAILINGS EVERY FOURTEEN DAYS

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S.S. "PINE TREE STATE"	Mar. 9
S.S. "WENATCHEE"	Mar. 23
S.S. "BAY STATE"	Apr. 6
S.S. "KEYSTONE STATE"	Apr. 20
S.S. "SILVER STATE"	May 4

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S.S. Hoelder State ..Apr. 15	S.S. Hoelder State ..Mar. 26
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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM SHANGHAI

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

S.S. "KOREA MARU" via Nagasaki	Feb. 28
S.S. "SHINYO MARU" via Nagasaki	Mar. 12
S.S. "TAIYO MARU" via Nagasaki	April 5
S.S. "SIBERIA MARU" via Dairen	April 19

FOR HONGKONG

S.S. "TAIYO MARU" direct	Mar. 19
S.S. "SIBERIA MARU" direct	April 7
S.S. "TENYO MARU" via Manila	April 13

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Through Bills of Lading issued to all Principal Overland Points in United States, Canada and Mexico by rail; to Atlantic Coast Ports of the United States by connecting steamers, of Panama; also for South America.

Regular sailings from Hongkong and Yokohama, via Hawaii, for West Coast Ports of South America.
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For San Francisco And Los Angeles via Hongkong And Philippine Islands:

S.S. "APUS" Feb. 27th

From San Francisco And Los Angeles via Japan Ports:

S.S. "APUS" Feb. 25th

S.S. "DEWEY" March 22nd

For Hongkong, Philippine Islands, Saigon, Singapore And Java Ports:

S.S. "DEWEY" March 23rd

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(Subject to change)

FOR SAN FRANCISCO via JAPAN and HONOLULU

* S.S. "NANKING"

* S.S. "NILE"

* S.S. "CHINA"

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NEXT AUCTIONS

Saturday 25th February at 10 a.m. in Front Salesroom.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANOS & SUNDRIES.

Including:
AMERICAN MADE WALNUT DOUBLE BED WITH BOX MATTRESS, DITTO DRESSING TABLE WITH LARGE MIRROR, CHAIR, double brass bed no mattress, POLISHED TEAK ROLL TOP DESK, old Walnut veneer chest of drawers, red plush couch and 4 arm chairs, marble top washstand, fine SUITE OF TEAK MAHOGANY STAINED SILK TAPESTRY UPHOLSTERED DRAWING ROOM FURNITURE, (6 pieces), Mahogany stained silk upholstered drawing room suite (6 pieces), white enamel iron bath with taps, National sewing machine (Hand & Treadle) large Teak flat top desk, typewriter table, fine linen covered double spring couch, green tap upholstered arm chair with cushion, dark stained sideboard, Foochow teak chair, ditto Table, Oil Paintings, WHITE ENAMEL WOODEN DOUBLE BED BRASS MOUNTED WITH MATTRESSES, EXTRA LARGE BLACK ENAMEL IRON BED WITH BOX MATTRESS white enamel chest of drawers, commode, dark brown Tientsin Carpet, MANILA RATTAN TABLE, CHAIR, COUCH, Satin Curtains With valance green Poplin Curtains flowered Cretonne Curtains, "Wellington" Typewriter, Pacific Cooking stove, Silver Cups, Watch, Old Gilt framed Print and a long list of excellent Sundries.

ALSO
POLISHED TEAK BEDROOM FURNITURE WITH BEVELLED MIRRORS, TOYS, LARGE PEKING CLOISONNE BOWL WITH HEAVY GILT BRONZE STAND (A SLENDID PIECE) FINE TONED GERMAN VIOLIN CELLO, 1 ADJUSTABLE DRESS FORM.

Simmons white enamel beds, SUIT LENGTHS, ELECTRIC RADIATOR, SAFETY RAZORS, PEKING MADE OLD ARTIFICIAL JADE FLOWERS WITH STANDS.
1 IRON FRAMED "MOUTRIE" PIANO, ELECTRIC SEWING MACHINE (NEW) 220 Volts. COLLARD & COLLARD GRAMM PIANO, "Pathe" Gramophone with double sound box, VERY FINE ALMOST NEW LARGE "COLUMBIA" GRAMAFONO WITH PATENT RECORD HOLDER.

AND
3 EXCELLENT WELL MOUNTED SILK EMBROIDERED ANIMAL STUDY PICTURES.
1 OLD ENGRAVING (BY KNIGHT) WELLINGTON & NELSON WITH FAC SIMILES OF SIGNATURES
1 OLD ARTISTS PROOF ENGRAVING OF QUEEN VICTORIA. AND AT NOON.
1 4 CYLINDER 2 SEATER HALLADAY MOTOR CAR RECENTLY OVERHAULED.

On View Friday

POSTAGE STAMPS

In our upper Salesroom

On Saturday, February 25th at 2.30 p.m.

WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY AUCTION

A very valuable collection of old Postage Stamps suitable for advanced collectors and dealers, including many rare varieties.

The genuineness of the Stamps is guaranteed by the owner and any purchaser not satisfied in this respect will be paid the amount of his purchase, provided he returns the stamps within a week of the sale.

IN REAR SALESROOM

Monday February, 27th at 10 a.m.

USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, SUNDRIES, & LADIES' & GENTS' CLOTHING

Comprising:—

Steamer Trunks, Travelling Boxes, Chinese Porcelain Figures, Pictures & Frames, Heating Stoves, Ladies Squirrel Coat, Japanese & other Tea Sets, Electric Stoves & Irons, Carpets & Rugs, FURTHER SELECTION OF NEW MUSIC, Gramophone Records, Overmantel Mirrors, GENTS' BICYCLE, VERY LARGE GLASS CASES, Piano Stool, Hand Bags & Suit Cases, MUSLIN PRINTS, Teak Commode, Rattan ware, 1 12 BORE SINGLE BARREL (LONG TOM) HAMMER GUN, Marble top hall table, Good assortment of books, Chest of drawers, Washstand, Brass mounted Iron Bed with wire & other Mattresses, Mirror back Dressing Table, Ice Chests, Cigarettes, Cooking utensils, Sundry Jewelry, Dining Chairs, Electric Fans, Commodes, Couch, Bed Linen, Toilet Set, Electric Microscope, Ornaments in Bronze, Brass & Porcelain, Glassware, Boots & Shoes, wash Basin, Newspaper Rack, Ladies Riding Saddle, and a long list of sundries Etc.

Now on view.

41 AVENUE DUBAIL

Favoured with instructions from

THE CONCERNED

will sell by Public Auction at

41 AVENUE DUBAIL

On Monday, February 27th

commencing at 10 a.m.

continuing at 2.30 p.m.

THE WHOLE OF THE SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND ACCESSORIES contained therein, comprising:—

HALL—Oak bevelled mirror back hat & umbrella stand, Hall table, Oak copper mounted jardiniere stand, Teak framed mirror Hall chair, Large photograph, Wall plates, Porcelain & Bronze ornaments, Wall clock, American HALL STOVE &c.

DRAWING ROOM—AXMINSTER CARPET, Hearth Rug, MAHOGANY FRAMED GREEN silk Tapestry covered Drawing Room Suite of Foreign Manufacture, TEAK MAHOGANY STAINED PLUSH LINED CURIO CABINET, Escritoire, Teapoy, Oval centre table, Mantel mirror, Bevelled mirror, back chiffonier, Fine muslin Curtains, Brass fender, Coal Box, Fire brasses, Gilt framed Oil paintings, Water colour, Cloisonne vases, Chinese Porcelain ornaments &c.

SITTING ROOM—IMPERIAL AXMINSTER CARPET, Hearth rug, AMERICAN RED LEATHER UPHOLSTERED DOUBLE SPRING COUCH AND ARM CHAIRS, Teak bookcase, Bookstand, Column stand, CHINESE BLACKWOOD MARBLE TOP LARGE CENTRE TABLE, SIDE TABLE, Blackwood carved 4-fold Screen, Indian Carpets, Copper coal box, Blackwood carved curio cabinet, Flower stand, Teapoy, Stools, Bronze vases, Incense burner, Imported Oil painting.

DINING ROOM—Brussels carpet, Oak carved sideboard, Oval Dining table, Dining chairs, E. P. cabinet, Marble top side table, Tapestry upholstered couch, Leather upholstered arm chair, Green marble clock Velvet table cover, Lace curtains, Table linen, Good E. P. Crockery and Cut glass ware.

STUDY—Tientsin carpet and rug, Imported Oak Roll Top Desk, Sliding door bookcase, Tapestry upholstered arm chair, Mantel mirror, Brass Jardiniere, Japanese screen, Centre table, Lacquered side table, Photograph, etc.

BEDROOM—WHITE ENAMELLED BEDROOM SUITE FITTED WITH BEVELLED MIRRORS, Large mirror door wardrobe, Dressing table, Chest of drawers, Pedestal, Chairs, Round Table, Green silk tapestry covered Sofa, Arm chairs, Linen cupboard, Velvet curtain, Brussels and Tapestry carpets, Skin rug, Nickel brass double bedstead, WHITE ENAMELLED DOUBLE BEDSTEAD, Woollen blankets, Bed linen, Rattan arm chair &c.

PANTRY & KITCHEN AS USUAL

ELECTRIC FITTINGS THROUGHOUT

also

2. 4 blade Ceiling fans with regulator,
1 Fine tone Piano in Mahogany case by Broadwood.
On view Saturday afternoon
& Sunday 25th & 26th

154 SINZA ROAD

Favoured with instructions from

The Concerned

Will sell by Public Auction,

AT 154 SINZA ROAD.

On Tuesday February 28th at 10 a.m.

The Superior Household Furniture and Sundries contained therein HALL—Unpolished Teak Mirror back Hall Stand, Umbrella & Stick stand, Pictures &c.

DRAWING ROOM—Tientsin Carpet, Carved Ivory inlaid Curio Cabinet, Japanese Bronze Vases, Large Stove with long piping, Tapestry Double spring Arm Chairs, Couch, Carved Blackwood marble top flower stands, Metal wall plaques, Oil Paintings, Pictures, Water colours, Carved teak curio stand with glass shelves, Piano stool, Wall bracket, Lacquered teapoy, Curtains, Rattan arm chairs &c.

DINING ROOM—Carpet, Skin rug, Fire Brasses, Coal Box, Carved Oakstained Mantel Mirror, Carved Oakstained mirror back Sideboard, Dining wagon, Dining table, Dining chairs, Carved Side table, Cloisonne vases, Brass cake stand, Pictures, E. P. Cutlery, Crockery & Glass ware, Curtains, &c.

BEDROOMS—Mattings, Mirror back Dressing tables, Mirror door Wardrobes, Chest of Drawers, Marble top Washstands, Bookcase, Oblong table, Electric table fan, Brass mounted Single Bedstead, Hospital Bed, Brass double bedstead, Leopard skin rug, Arm Chairs, Commodes, Pictures, Curtains, Mosquito curtains, Bed & Table Linen, Oil stoves.

Pantry & Kitchen as usual

Electric fittings throughout

On View Monday

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

IMPORTANT CURIO AUCTION

The well known Connoisseur and Collector

MR. J. MELCHIOR'S

unique collection of HAN TANG, SUNG, YUAN and MING Pot-teries and Porcelains, Vases, Bowls and NUMEROUS FIGURES, all periods guaranteed according to "Shanghai Experts", will be Auctioned shortly.

Also some valuable old Chinese furniture and porcelains from the TSING DYNASTY.

BOOKS

We shall be holding a Book Auction shortly, and will be pleased to receive books from our Clients for inclusion in this Sale.

Particulars later.

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AUCTIONEERS, REAL ESTATE AGENTS, VALUERS, and APPRAISERS.

Favoured with instruction from Messrs. Burkardt, Amidani & Co., the Mortgagees in possession of the properties of the Hsin Nih New World Co. (The Mortgagees) will sell at its offices

at

No. 49 KIANGSE ROAD

The Amusement Halls of the said Hsin Nih New World Co. together with all its properties consisting of residue of leases, buildings, furniture, fixtures and effects in one block as a going concern.

The particulars of the said properties, the date and the conditions of sale will be published later.

W. Funder & Co.

Auctioneers, Real Estate Agents, Valuers, Appraisers & Coal Merchants

Having been favoured with instructions from the Brazilian Consulate

will sell by Public Auction

at Zung Chow Stock Exchange

NO. 3 SZECHUEN ROAD

On Saturday, the 25th Feb. 1922.

at 10 a.m.

OFFICE FURNITURE AND

SUNDRIES

Comprising:—

Counter with Brass Railings.

Large and Small Desks, letter

files, office Chairs, Blackwood

Square Tables, Opium Couches.

Sofa, Arm Chairs, Blackwood

Chairs and Teapoy, wall Clocks,

Pictures, Scrolls, Plateform, and

Sundries, etc., etc., etc.

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back Dressing Tables, Chest of Drawers, Washstand Stands, Sofa, Arm Chairs, Gramophone Records, Single and Double Iron Bedsteads, Picture and vases, E. P. Glass & Crockery, ware, a Quantity of second-hand Clothing, etc., etc.

also

1 Tientsin Carpet 9 x 12

1 Very fine Axminster Carpet, 9 x 12

A quantity of hearth rugs

1 Fine toned Piano (by Barbe)

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Machine
1 Enamelled Iron Bath
1 Salamandre Stove

On View Morning of Sale.

NOEL, MURRAY & CO.

Having been favoured with instructions from

THE CONCERNED

Will sell by Public AUCTION

at the

NANKING ROAD JETTY

On Saturday, the 25th Feb., 1922.

At 12.15 p.m.

THE WELL-KNOWN HOUSE-

BOAT

"SCOUT"

Hull of hardwood and copper

bottomed, recently overhauled.

Large Saloon (two bunks).

Kitchen and Bath Room, well

supplied with Cutlery, Carpets,

Curtains, Pictures, etc., and a

Complete Set of Mosquito Frames

for all Windows and Doors.

Well found in anchors, chairs,

towing hawsers, etc.

Now lying by the Kiangse Road

bridge and on view there now, and

on morning of sale at the Nanking

Road Jetty.

also

THE MOTOR LAUNCH

"AMETHYST"

Fitted with 20 h.p. Gasoline

Kerosene Bufile Engine.

Length 30 Feet and 7' Beam, in

good condition.

Very Suitable as a Tender or for

towing houseboats, etc.

Now on view opposite the

General Hospital and at Nanking

Road Jetty on morning of sale.

On view morning of sale.

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